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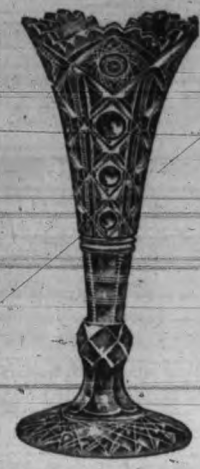
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RECEIVED BY THE KING.

Whitlaw Reid, United States Ambassa-  
dor, Presented Credentials to His  
Majesty.

(Associated Press.)

London, June 5.—Whitlaw Reid, the  
United States ambassador, had an audi-  
ence with King Edward at Buckingham  
Palace at noon to-day, and presented his  
credentials. Three royal carriages were  
sent to Dorchester house to convey the  
ambassador and the members of the em-  
bassy to the palace. At the palace Mr.  
Reid was received by the officers of state.  
Foreign Secretary Lansdowne drove up  
to the palace about the same time as the  
ambassador, whom he introduced to the  
King. The latter wore a field marshal's

uniform and was surrounded by his suite.  
His Majesty's reception of the ambassa-  
dor was most cordial.

While the ambassador was presenting  
the King with his credentials, Queen  
Alexandra was receiving Mrs. Reid and  
Miss Reid.

The conversation between the King  
and the ambassador was quite lengthy.  
His Majesty recalling Mr. Reid's previ-  
ous visits to London and expressing the  
greatest pleasure at the good relations  
between the United States and Great  
Britain.

After the official reception Mr. Reid  
was presented to Queen Alexandra, and  
Mrs. and Miss Reid were presented to  
the King. The visits altogether lasted  
40 minutes, after which the ambassador  
and his party returned to Dorchester  
house in the state carriages.

## RUSSIANS MUST REMAIN AT MANILA

### ORDERS HAVE BEEN SENT TO ADMIRAL TRAIN

Japs Send Reports of Fighting in Man-  
churia, in Which Russians Suffered  
Heavy Loss.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, June 5.—After a conference  
with President Roosevelt to-day, Sec-  
retary of Navy Morton announced that  
the Russian admiral, in answer to ques-  
tions as to his plans in reference to the  
orders for the intent of the vessels  
would go forward to Admiral Train at  
once.

Secretary of War Taft has received a  
cablegram from Governor Wright, dated  
at Manila to-day, saying that Enquist,  
the Russian admiral, in answer to ques-  
tions as to his plans in reference to the  
orders for the intent of the vessels  
would go forward to Admiral Train at  
once.

### PREPARING FOR THE SIEGE OF VLADIVOSTOK.

Chicago, June 5.—The Chicago Record  
Herald to-day prints the following dis-  
patch from Tacoma, Wa.:

"Officers of the steamship Lyra, which  
has arrived in port, say they sighted dur-  
ing the voyage 18 Japanese transports  
bearing an army for the siege of Vladiv-  
ostok."

### ADMIRAL URU IS SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, June 5.—Vice-Admiral Uru  
has arrived off Guttsung Island. He is  
probably coming to Woo Sung.

An ex-Russian cruiser is outside this  
harbor.  
Guttsung Island is situated at Hang  
chow bay, a few miles south of Shang-  
hai.

### VOLUNTEER SHIPS STOP MERCHANTMEN.

Hongkong, June 5.—Vessels of the  
Russian volunteer fleet are overhauling  
merchantmen in the waters northeast of  
this port, according to a report made by  
the British steamer Ping Suey, which  
arrived here to-day.

The commander of the Ping Suey says  
he saw four steamers overhauled 50  
miles from here by two volunteer fleet  
steamers.

### RUSSIANS LOST MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED.

Tokio, June 5.—1.30 p.m.—The follow-  
ing statement was made to-day from the  
headquarters of the Japanese armies in  
Manchuria:

"Early in the morning of June 3rd the  
enemy's infantry and cavalry, to the  
number of some 300 men, attacked  
Ershipao, seven miles northeast of  
Changtu, but were easily repulsed.

The same day at 9.30 in the morning  
some 20 squadrons of the enemy's horse  
advanced south of Tsingling-Chien, on  
the Kwangping-Chiatun road, some 50  
miles northwest of Fengwa. A portion  
of the same force attacked Shintsuba,  
nine miles northeast of Kwangping, but  
suffered heavy loss by our artillery post-  
ed in that vicinity. The enemy fled west-  
ward. Our casualties were four men  
slightly wounded.

"The enemy's loss exceeded 100 men."

### RUSSIAN LEFT HAS MOVED FORWARD.

Gunshu Pass, June 5.—(108 miles north  
of Tie Pass.)—The Russian left has been  
slightly advanced. Otherwise the situa-  
tion is unchanged.

### CREW OF BRITISH STEAMER LANDED.

Shanghai, June 5.—Twenty-nine of  
the crew of the British steamer Oldham  
were landed at Swatow to-day from a  
British steamer. The Oldham was cap-  
tured May 9th by a Russian cruiser. She  
was bound for Yokkaichi with a cargo  
of kerosene. On May 27th she was re-  
taken by a Japanese warship during the  
battle of the Sea of Japan, and was sub-  
sequently taken to Sasebo, where she  
arrived on May 30th. The captain, en-  
gineer and two of the crew were on  
board of her when she was recaptured.

### FINANCIAL INFLUENCES MAY AID PEACE.

Paris, June 3.—Financial influences  
are again aiding to turn the tide toward  
peace in the Far East. A banker who is  
a member of the syndicate which han-  
dled the recent Russian loans said to-day:  
"Russia's credit has not been affected  
by her naval defeat for the reason that  
it is believed it will compel her to make  
peace after a period of hesitation.

Whether it is peace or war, Russia must  
have more money, but it will be an in-  
dispensable condition to any further loan  
to her that peace be made. With peace  
assured, Russia's credit will be unimpaired  
at equal or better terms than the last  
loan."

A Japanese official, who will have  
much to do if peace is negotiated through  
French sources, expressed doubt as to  
the success of the peace movement of  
outside powers.

"The difficulty is that Russia has re-  
peatedly and formally declared that she  
will not accept or permit the friendly  
office of a third power. It is hardly  
likely that she will now sacrifice her  
prestige by accepting the office of a

### third power."

A novel method of influencing peace  
is suggested in high quarters, namely to  
permit Russia to learn that Admiral  
Togo's fleet having no longer occupation  
in the Far Eastern seas will sail for the  
Baltic.

The suggestion recalled the action of  
the navy department at Washington in  
giving out its intention to send Admiral  
Watson's fleet to Spain, hastening the  
termination of the Spanish war. It is  
understood the archives of the American  
embassy here show that the fear of  
Watson attacking the Spanish coast was  
one of the decisive factors in securing  
the cession of the Philippine islands.

### THE CAPTURE OF ADMIRAL ROJESTVENSKY.

Tokio, June 3.—Torpedo-boat destroy-  
ers which have returned to Sasebo fur-  
nish details of the capture of Vice-Ad-  
miral Rojestsvensky.

The destroyers Kasumi, Ushugumo,  
Sazanami and Kagura were ordered to  
attack the Russian warships the night  
of May 27th, and were steaming ahead  
when they suddenly encountered a num-  
ber of Russian ships.

The Kasumi narrowly escaped a col-  
lision with a Russian cruiser, the dan-  
ger of which seems to have saved the  
destroyers from being damaged by the  
heavy fire which the Russians directed  
on them.

During the Russian attack the vessels  
forming the destroyer flotilla divided.  
The Sazanami and Kagura continued the  
search for Russian ships throughout the  
night, and in the morning discovered  
two torpedo boat destroyers. One of  
them steamed away, but the other was  
unable to do so. On approaching the  
latter the Japanese discerned a white  
flag flying from the foremast, and the  
red cross flag also. She proved to be  
the Bedovi, with Admiral Rojestsvensky  
and his staff on board.

The Bedovi signalled that her engines  
were damaged and that she was short of  
coal and water. An armed guard was  
sent on board the Bedovi to receive her  
surrender. The Russians requested the  
Japanese not to remove Admiral Rojests-  
vensky, and the officers on account of  
their wounds, and the Japanese com-  
plied, with the understanding that the guard  
would execute Rojestsvensky in the event  
of delay leading to a meeting with Rus-  
sian ships, thus running the danger of  
his recapture.

The Sazanami ran a line to the Bedovi  
and began towing. The line parted  
and the morning the Sazanami  
met the Japanese cruiser Asahi, which  
conveyed the two destroyers to Sasebo.  
During the trip the destroyers encoun-  
tered heavy seas and their decks were  
awash during part of that time.

### SYMPATHY FOR THE WOUNDED ADMIRAL.

Tokio, June 4.—10 a.m.—Admiral Ya-  
mamota, minister of the navy, has dis-  
patched flowers for the room of Rear-  
Admiral Rojestsvensky. Accompanying  
the flowers was a letter to the wounded  
Russian officer, saying:

"I beg to express my respect for you in  
discharging your duty like a soldier in  
fighting desperately for the sake of your  
fatherland. I cannot refrain from sym-  
pathizing with you in your wounded con-  
dition, and hope the accommodations of  
our hospitals and ability of our naval  
surgeons will ease your suffering and  
speedily restore your health."

Admiral Yamamoto also sent a gen-  
eral letter to the wounded Russian offi-  
cers and men expressing the hope that  
their suffering would soon be ended, and  
that they would speedily recover.

### THIRTY JAPANESE COMMANDERS IN FIGHT.

Tokio, June 3.—Thirty naval com-  
manders participated in the battle of the  
Japan Sea. Vice-Admiral Togo was  
commander-in-chief, leading the first  
squadron. Vice-Admiral Kamamura was  
in command of the second squadron, and  
Rear-Admiral Kataoka led the third  
squadron.

The chiefs of staff in the order named  
were Admiral Kato and Captains Fujii  
and Saito.

The commanders of the squadron, dis-  
visions were Vice-Admirals Dewa, Uru  
and Mitsa, acting as rear-admirals under  
Vice-Admiral Togo; Captains Yamada,  
Shimamura, Taketomi and Kokura.

### THE KING OF SPAIN

Welcomed to England By the Prince of  
Wales on Behalf of King Edward.

Portsmouth, Eng., June 5.—The King  
of Spain arrived here to-day from Cher-  
bourg on the British royal yacht Vic-  
toria and Albert. The yacht was ac-  
companied across the channel by an  
escort of British cruisers and torpedo  
destroyers.

The royal visitor was welcomed at the  
British naval headquarters by an array  
of warships which fired a royal salute.  
The young King, who wore the uniform  
of a British general, with the ribbon of  
the Order of the Garter, stood on deck  
evidently keenly enjoying the spectacle  
in spite of the fact that it rained.

The Prince of Wales, representing  
King Edward, awaited the yacht at the  
quayside, and immediately after the  
gangway was run up he went on board  
the Victoria and Albert, and wel-  
comed by the Spanish ruler. Their re-  
spective suites were then introduced  
and subsequently the mayor and corporation  
of Portsmouth presented His Ma-  
jesty with an address of welcome.

King Alfonso, who was the first King  
of Spain who has ever landed in Eng-  
land, inspected the guard of honor in  
a drenching rain and subsequently took  
a train for London amidst the firing of  
a salute.

### Arrival in London.

London, June 5, 4.33 p.m.—The King  
of Spain arrived in London this after-  
noon. He was welcomed at the railroad  
station by King Edward. The royal  
visitor was accompanied the heartiest re-  
ception the whole length of the route.  
No untoward incident marked the event.

## INTEREST AGAIN CENTRES ON MOROCCO

### POWERS MAY REJECT THE SULTAN'S PROPOSAL

Recent Action of Ruler Regarded as  
Mark of Discourtesy to  
Great Britain.

(Associated Press.)

Fes, Morocco, June 2.—No doubt is  
entertained in diplomatic circles that  
the proposals in behalf of Morocco to  
submit the French proposals to a con-  
ference of the powers signatory of the  
Madrid convention will be categorically  
declined by the British, French, Spanish  
and Russian governments. Uncertainty  
prevails regarding the attitude of the  
other powers. It is thought in some  
quarters that Germany may utilize the  
Moroccan proposals as a pretext to enter  
into direct negotiations with France, in  
which case the Moroccan question will  
be probably settled in Paris or Berlin.

The fact that the Moroccan decision was  
launched on the eve of the arrival here  
of Gerard A. Lowther, the British min-  
ister, is much commented upon, and is  
regarded as being a distinct mark of dis-  
courtesy to Great Britain.

Count Von Tattenbach-Ashold, head  
of the German mission, is evidently in  
high favor at the palace, where he has  
frequent interviews with the Sultan.

### DeLancey's Attitude.

Paris, June 5.—Strong tension is  
developing in the cabinet as the result  
of the rejection by the Sultan of Mor-  
occo of the French reform proposals.  
The situation is similar to when Foreign  
Minister DeLancey suddenly presented his  
resignation. He has not given any in-  
dication of his purpose, but reports are  
circulating in well-informed quarters that  
he may retire if his Moroccan policy  
cannot secure the united support of the  
ministers.

It is expected that the Sultan's action  
in proposing to refer the question to an  
international conference will be submit-  
ted to the council of ministers to-mor-  
row. The question of its acceptance or  
rejection is likely to involve also the  
cabinet situation.

### VALUABLE ADDITIONS TO THE FISHERIES

Oysters and Lobsters Will Be Sent to  
the Pacific Coast in Charge  
of Expert.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, June 5.—The government have  
for some time been carrying out steps to  
secure a large supply of Atlantic oysters  
from the most famous beds in Prince  
Edward Island and New Brunswick for  
the purpose of transplanting them to  
various points along the British Colum-  
bia coast, as has been strongly urged by  
W. Sloan, M. P. Mr. Sloan some weeks  
ago requested the minister of marine  
and fisheries to make a shipment of  
oysters, and if possible live lobsters suf-  
ficient to adequately stock about ten  
selected areas on the mainland and in  
Vancouver Island. All the arrangements  
have been completed, and a large ship-  
ment will be sent in charge of a govern-  
ment expert. The oysters, which are  
from the most famous beds, are about  
half grown, as mature oysters are found  
to less readily become acclimatized to  
Pacific conditions. About 100 barrels of  
these half grown oysters will be sent to  
Halifax, when about 50 crates of live  
lobsters are being collected, and the  
whole will leave in a special car for Van-  
couver. Special arrangements are being  
made to have the oysters and lobsters  
planted without delay on their arrival,  
and the scheme is one which will be of  
permanent value to the Pacific fisheries  
of British Columbia.

### The London Campaign.

Ralph Smith, M. P., left here at noon  
to-day for London. Hon. W. S. Fielding  
and Hon. Wm. Paterson left last night.

### Leaves For West.

W. W. R. McInnes, commissioner of  
the Yukon, left for the West to-day. He  
will stay a couple of days in Winnipeg  
and about ten days at Victoria, after-  
wards proceeding to Dawson.

### RUMORED MASSACRE.

Report That Garrison at Warmbad,  
German Southwest Africa, Has  
Perished.

(Associated Press.)

London, June 5.—A dispatch to a  
news agency from Capetown says native  
reports have been received in official  
quarters to the effect that Warmbad,  
the German headquarters in Southwest Af-  
rica, has fallen and that the garrison has  
perished. No news is obtainable except  
from native sources.

### SEALERS TAKEN.

(Associated Press.)  
Harbin, Manchuria, June 5.—The  
crews of five Japanese sealing schooners,  
numbering sixty men and including six  
Americans, have arrived here. They  
were captured by Russian torpedo boats  
while poaching near Odima island.

### NANAIMO MINE CLOSED.

Mules Have Been Taken Out and Only  
a Watchman Remains in Charge.

### (Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, June 5.—The Western Fuel  
Co. has closed No. 1 mine down. Steam  
is out of the boilers, the cages have been  
hoisted and off the chains, all work has  
entirely ceased, and only a watchman  
remains in charge. The pit mules are  
all out at pasture with the shoes pulled  
off as if for a long test, and the place is  
dead. Manager Stockett is away, and  
will not be home for some days, when  
the miners will make an attempt to in-  
terview him regarding negotiations.

The city itself is very quiet, not like  
strike town. No crowds are on the  
streets, and the miners seem to stay at  
home or go out of town.

### THE FIRST CASE.

Miner Charged With Being Under-  
ground More Than Eight Hours—  
Superintendent Summoned.

### (Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, June 5.—The first case un-  
der the Coal Mines Amendment Act has  
been laid by Archibald Dick, coal mines  
inspector at Ladysmith, charging Harry  
Carroll, a miner, with being underground  
longer than eight hours, allowed by law,  
and Superintendent Andrew Bryden for  
allowing this contrary to the law. The  
case comes up Wednesday at Ladysmith.

### CONSTRUCTION WORK ON GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

Will Commence Near Kakabeka. Nineteen  
Miles West of Fort William—Com-  
mission Approves Plans.

### (Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, June 5.—The first construc-  
tion work on the Grand Trunk Pacific  
will begin near Kakabeka, a sta-  
tion on the branch which will connect  
the national transcontinental line with  
Port Arthur, Fort William and the  
Great Lakes.

Kakabeka is 19 miles west of Fort  
William. The Canadian Pacific will run  
alongside the Grand Trunk Pacific at  
this point, and in this way supplies can  
be secured easily for the new road.

The location plan was approved by the  
railway commission to-day, and gives the  
company authority to build three and  
four miles east and west of Kakabeka.

The railway commission has also ap-  
proved a route map showing the gen-  
eral direction for the whole branch from  
Fort William northward over 200 miles  
to a point where it will connect with the  
main line some 50 miles north of the  
village of Wabigoon.

### TO CLOSE "OPEN DOOR."

Rumor of Intrigue in China—Conces-  
sion May Be Withdrawn.

### (Associated Press.)

New York, June 5.—A dispatch to the  
Herald from Berlin asserts, on what is  
claimed as "the highest authority," that  
an intrigue is being actively worked in  
China, backed by powerful Chinese offi-  
cials, the object of which is to withdraw,  
forcibly or otherwise, the concession to  
the American-China Development Com-  
pany, in which New York and Belgian  
financiers are heavily interested, for  
building all the important railroads be-  
tween Hankow and Canton.

The withdrawal of the concession is  
intended, the correspondent declares, to  
be the first step towards closing the  
"open door."

Reports of a similar nature were in  
circulation last January, when it was  
said the Chinese government threatened  
to annul the franchise because the Am-  
erican syndicate had said a controlling  
interest to Europeans.

### TO SEARCH FOR POLE.

Peary Will Leave New York For Nor-  
thern Cruise on July 4th.

### (Associated Press.)

South Portland, Me., June 5.—Lieut-  
Commander Robert E. Peary has com-  
pleted all his plans for another effort to  
reach the North Pole, and he will sail on  
the steamer Roosevelt from the Maine  
coast not later than June 15th for New  
York, where he will take on provisions.  
He will remain in that city until July  
4th, when he starts on his cruise north.

The first and only stop will be St. Johns,  
Nfld., where his supplies will be reple-  
nished and his crew of Esquimaux will  
be taken on.

His route from St. Johns will be direct-  
ly through the Gulf of St. Lawrence to  
the Labrador coast. From there he will  
proceed to the west coast of Greenland  
as far as Cape York. There his sledge  
dogs will be taken on, and he will then  
sail to the shores of Great Land on the  
southern extremity of the North Polar  
sea. By that time it is expected it will  
be September, the beginning of the long  
Polar night. During the period of dark-  
ness Peary will establish various depots  
for provisions, and when dawn comes  
will start northward with his Esquimaux  
and endeavor to cover 500 miles of un-  
known land and frozen sea which lies be-  
tween the northern shore of the Great  
Land and his final goal.

### THE APACHE ARRIVES.

Last of Yachts in Finish in Race Across  
the Atlantic.

### (Associated Press.)

Lizard, Cornwall, June 5.—The barque  
rigged yacht Apache, owned by Mr.  
Randolph of the New York Yacht Club,  
and the last contestant in the trans-  
Atlantic race, finished at 10.20 this morn-  
ing.

## MADE HIS ESCAPE FROM URUGUAY

### HE TELLS STORY OF THE AGNES G. DONOGHUE

D. Steele, of Victoria, Has Arrived Here  
After Trying Experience at  
Monte Video.

D. Steele arrived in this city on Satur-  
day, having returned from the Uruguay  
by way of San Francisco. He is one of  
the ill-fated hunters from the schooner  
Agnes G. Donoghue. When he left the  
other members of the crew were held in  
Monte Video awaiting sentence on what  
Mr. Steele says is only a trumped up  
charge.

Mr. Steele seeing how matters were  
shaping thought it best to quit the  
Uruguayan capital on the first opportu-  
nity, and is well satisfied to get back to  
his home in Victoria after months of a  
most trying experience in Monte Video.

When he left on April 3rd the prose-  
cutor attorney in the case had recom-  
mended to the courts that Capt. Mat.  
Ryan, commanding the schooner, should  
receive five years' imprisonment; Wm.  
Ryan, the chief mate, should get two  
years; Wm. Porlier, the second officer,  
should be sentenced to one year, and the  
members of the crew should be imprison-  
ed for six months.

It was about November 11th that the  
Donoghue put in to within about 4½  
miles of the shore of Uruguay for water.  
The weather was so rough that it was  
impossible to land a boat, and after wait-  
ing all next day the captain decided to  
leave.

A cutter, described by the Uruguayans  
as a man-of-war, approached and after  
firing three shots across the bow of the  
schooner the vessel was boarded. No  
attempt was made to investigate affairs  
aboard the schooner, but after taking ten  
of the crew of the nineteen men off her a  
prize crew was put on the Agnes G.  
Donoghue with orders to bring the vessel  
to Monte Video.

This was accordingly done, and upon  
arrival the officers and men were im-  
prisoned for 67 days. Repeated attempts  
were made by the officers and crew to  
get redress. The British minister was  
appealed to, but the authorities replied  
that \$5,000 of a bond would have to be  
put up. Finally, at the end of the 67  
days, the captain was taken back on  
board the schooner with a guard of five  
men placed in charge. The other mem-  
bers of the crew were allowed to come  
and go on taking oath that they would  
appear when called upon to do so.

Mr. Steele describes the treatment ac-  
corded the men in the jail as none too  
good. The floor was the bare rock, with  
rations meagre.

The imprisonment and worry incident  
upon it has told upon Capt. Ryan. He is  
a young man of about 35 years of age,  
but is now only a wreck of what he was  
before the trouble began. If the im-  
prisonment is to be enforced Mr. Steele  
has little hope that Capt. Ryan will live  
through it.

The case against the Donoghue is of  
the filiest character, Mr. Steele says.  
He denies that there could be anything





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## SINKING OF THE BATTLESHIP BORADINO

### RUSSIAN OFFICER DESCRIBES THE FIGHT

Four Hundred Men Were Lost Before the Vessel Turned Turtle—Reinforcements for Lnevitch

London, June 3.—The Tokyo correspondent of the Daily Express sends a story of the battle told by an officer of the battle ship Boradino, who is now at Saesbo. The officer says:

"Admiral Rojstevsky came on board early in the battle and directed the fighting from the Boradino's flying bridge. At 3 o'clock the Japanese battleships Shikishima and Fuji opened every gun on us. A projectile struck the forward barbettes, in which I had charge of a 12-inch gun, and rendered us all incombustible.

"I got out of the smoke-filled barbettes to the deck and found there a rain of projectiles. Dozens were lying dead or wounded at every turn. I returned to the barbettes, but was only able to fire two rounds when two projectiles struck us simultaneously, wrecking the barbettes, disabled both the 12-inch guns, and killed 18 officers and men."

The officer proceeds to describe how the Boradino became a veritable shambles, successive shells destroying the steering gear and ammunition hoists so that the shells had to be carried by hand. Admiral Rojstevsky was injured and transferred to a destroyer, and as the destroyer left she was assailed by a hail of small arm ammunition.

"It was now 4 o'clock," the officer continued. "The Boradino had been repeatedly struck in the helm and was settling down with no hope of saving her."

"The Japanese had broken our battle formation and were closing in, concentrating their fire on our fighting tops. The crew of hardly any one of which escaped. Fire had now broken out in several places, adding to the horror of the situation, and it was decided to withdraw from the firing line for the purpose of repairing our steering gear. But we were surrounded by eight Japanese ships and bombarded on every side. We still fought desperately with our after 12-inch guns and with what was left of our smaller guns. But the Boradino sank lower and lower."

"Toward evening, after we had lost 400 men, we noticed two Japanese destroyers coming toward us. We sank one with a well-directed shell. The other launched a torpedo, which missed us. All the men in the engine rooms were driven on deck by the flames. Finally a Japanese torpedo struck her down upon us, and an explosion caused the Boradino to turn turtle. I, with 40 others, was rescued from the sea by the Japanese armored cruiser Kasuga and later was sent ashore."

**DECLARE THE JAPS USED SUBMARINES.**  
Manila, June 3.—Rear-Admiral Enquist, who arrived in the bay this evening on board his flagship, the protected cruiser Aurora, accompanied by the protected cruiser Oleg and Jemchug, is unimpaired. In an interview Rear-Admiral Enquist's executive officer said: "When the battle began the admiral was aboard the cruiser Oleg, which was hit a number of times by large shells."

There was an incessant rain of shot from quick-firing guns and the ship was soon badly damaged. The admiral transferred his flag to the Aurora, which then drew the combined fire of many torpedo boat destroyers at close range and the attack of submarines. We were overwhelmed by the latter. A mist arose, and we made a dash for the open sea and were followed by the Oleg and the Jemchug."

Capt. Egoroff, of the Aurora, was killed by a shell which struck the conning tower, and he was buried at sea. On the Aurora three officers were wounded, 20 of the crew were killed and 83 were wounded. The losses on the Oleg were 12 of the crew killed and 18 wounded. On the Jemchug the casualties were 21 junior officers killed and one wounded, 12 of the crew killed and 30 wounded.

From their appearance the Russian vessels are not damaged below the water line. Their funnels, however, are riddled by large shells. Several large shells pierced the cruisers' amidships and a number of guns were dismounted. All the Russian officers interviewed assert that a large number of submarines caused confusion and defeat. Rear-Admiral Enquist called his arrival to the Emperor of Russia.

### MANY RUSSIANS AT MANILA DURING WAR.

St. Petersburg, June 4.—The appearance of the missing cruisers at Manila has relieved the anxiety of the admiralty as the fate of all of Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky's warships is now definitely established. Naval officers think it probable that the ships will be interned and say that an attempt to reach Vladivostok would be practically hopeless and the ships would be exposed to great difficulties and danger on a long voyage homeward either across the Pacific ocean or through the Suez canal.

### PREPARING FOR CAMPAIGN ON LAND.

St. Petersburg, June 4.—The American embassy was the centre of interest yesterday on account of President Roosevelt tendering his good offices in the direction of peace. Ambassador Meir was besieged by members of the diplomatic corps, who desired light on the President's plan and intentions and the chance of its acceptance was a topic of general interest in St. Petersburg.

Foreign Minister Lansdorff did not lay the matter before the Emperor yesterday, but probably will visit Tsar Nicholas on Monday instead of Tuesday for this purpose.

Officials of the foreign office adopted a non-committal tone regarding the prospects of action on it, saying the decision rested with the Emperor, who, up to the present, is firm for war.

On all sides it is realized that the question of indemnity will be the gravest stumbling block in the way of the efforts of the peace party. The war faction urges that if Russia is obliged to pay an enormous indemnity she might as well spend the same amount in continuing the war a year or two longer and trust to financial pressure to do its work on Japan. They say that Russia's situation could not be made much worse.

In Manchuria the reinforcement of Lieut-General Linvitch has been going on without a pause. A traveller returning from Harbin reports passing train after train filled entirely with troops, and with apparently no reserves. Yesterday it was reported that widespread mobilization was contemplated in order to give General Linvitch the necessary numerical superiority over the Japanese.

**THE CZAR HAS NOT CHANGED HIS POSITION.**  
St. Petersburg, June 4.—In the course of a conversation between the Associated Press and one of the Emperor's ministers, the minister declared that the

Emperor had not yet changed his position with regard to the prosecution of the war on account of the destruction of Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky's fleet.

### JAP MINISTER VISITS PRESIDENT.

Washington, June 3.—Shortly after 9 o'clock to-night Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, called at the White House by appointment. He was immediately received by the President. Except to intimate that he and the President had a general talk on the whole situation, Minister Takahira had nothing to say about his conference to-night.

He did not appear to be concerned about the presence of the Russian ships at Manila. Following so closely the visit of Count Cassini, it was naturally inferred that the President took occasion to communicate to Mr. Takahira the views of Russia as presented by Count Cassini at the conference with him yesterday.

Diplomatic action in Washington today indicates that the European powers are prepared actively to assist the President in any way he may desire in the interest of peace in the Far East.

**CANADIAN NOTES.**  
The Deportation of Pere Marquette Officials—Sudden Deaths at Montreal and Toronto.

St. Thomas, June 3.—Col. Sherwood, of the Dominion police, arrived in the city last night with two warrants for the deportation of E. E. Caine and James G. Gillett, trainmaster and chief train dispatcher respectively of the Pere Marquette railway. Both officials are under arrest. The solicitor for the railway company will apply for a writ of habeas corpus restraining the police from deporting them. Both of the arrested officials are Americans and came to St. Thomas about six months ago. If successful the writ will be successful. The railway people are greatly agitated. The matter likely will be taken to the Supreme court.

**Dropped Dead.**  
Montreal, June 3.—Olea Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, dropped dead of heart disease while preparing to leave her home last night to attend a dinner at Lady Allan's.

**Died Suddenly.**  
Toronto, June 3.—Charles A. P. Cockburn, secretary-treasurer of the Muskoka Navigation & Hotel Company, and father of Muskoka traffic, died suddenly at his residence last night.

**Conference at Toronto.**  
Toronto, June 3.—Representatives from Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa, Hamilton, Quebec and other leading cities of the Dominion were in attendance at a meeting of the Canadian Street Railway Association yesterday. A general discussion on the value and efficiency of various forms of fenders, wheel guards, trolley guards, brakes and forms of appliances tending to reduce the severity of injuries received, was entered into yesterday. An effort will be made to fix the freight rates on different carrying lines throughout the country, and the question of mail delivery will also be taken up.

**Take Action.**  
Toronto, June 3.—The post office authorities are taking proceedings to prevent the messenger service companies of the city from delivering letters, circulars, parcels, etc., for one cent each. They claim it is an infraction of the postal law.

**Smothered.**  
Fort William, Ont., June 3.—H. Cliff was smothered beneath six thousand bushels of wheat while assisting to load a steamer to-night.

**CRISIS IN NORWAY.**  
New Kingdom or New Republic May Follow Present Situation.

London, June 3.—Information has reached Lord Lansdowne, which intimates that Norway is on the verge of action which will either add a new kingdom or a new republic to the family of separate European States. An official of the foreign office said: "The government at Christiania is engaged in matters, the details of which suggest plans for a career of absolute independence. Nobody could deplore the Swedish-Norwegian spirit more than we do. At the very least it will cause a period of general uncertainty and may precipitate a train of political events of the gravest character. This is particularly true at this moment, when Germany is showing a tendency to recklessness. Our policy of marrying a British Princess to a Swedish Prince is thus helping a little to increase our influence at Stockholm. It will lose much of the desired effect if Sweden should be deprived of one-third or more of its importance as a military factor."

"Since the union seems doomed, Britain will try to keep the two independent nations under one sovereign, and thus render a kind of hold on the Scandinavian Peninsula."

### DOUBLE MURDER.

Eugene, Or., June 2.—A double murder occurred twelve miles east of here yesterday, when John Richards shot and killed his sister and her husband, Sanford Skinner.

There has been much friction between the trio of late, and it is presumed that a quarrel terminated in the deaths of two of the belligerents. Richards is in custody and the sheriff has started from this place to bring him to the county jail.

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Very neat designs, from..... 5c.  
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**SUNK BY BATTLESHIP.**  
Barque Foundered and It Is Feared Number of Sailors Perished.

London, June 3.—During a fog off Dungeness early this morning the British battleship Caesar collided with the British barque Afghanistan. The Afghanistan sank two minutes after the collision. It is feared that 23 men on board the barque were drowned, as only 11 of her crew of 34 were picked up.

At the time of the accident the Canadian steamer, steaming in two columns, suddenly entered a fog bank and was unable to give the signal to slow down. The Caesar was considerably damaged.

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**YOUNG ENGLISHMAN,** employed in city, desires home close to town, in modern residence, with select private family. No "private boarding house" entertained. Replies collected 12th inst. State moderate terms to "Survey," Times Office.

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LADIES' SKIRTS CLEANED and pressed, from 50c. Lamb, 93 View St. Phone 941.

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**FOR SALE—Horses of all kinds, from \$35 up; new and second-hand buggies, carriages and wagons, from \$10 up; a few first-class fresh cows. Apply Fisher's Carriage Shop, Store street.**

**FOR SALE—WAB SCRIP—South African war scrip. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.**

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## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria  
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Victoria, June 5-5 a. m.—Weather conditions remain somewhat unsettled, both over the North-Pacific slope and in the Canadian Northwest. The pressure is increasing in the Pacific states and the southwestern part of the province. Good rains have fallen in Cariboo, on the Lower Mainland, and on Vancouver Island, and heavy showers in Oregon and Washington. East of the Rockies a low pressure area is central in Manitoba, and shower conditions prevail in most sections.

## Forecast.

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday. Victoria and vicinity—Southern winds, generally fair and moderately warm.

Lower Mainland—Light winds, chiefly cloudy and warmer, with occasional showers.

## Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.07; temperature, 40; minimum, 48; wind, calm; rain, .04; weather, fair.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, calm; rain, .05; weather, cloudy.

Nanaimo—Wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 60; minimum, 58; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Backerville—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Port Simpson—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 46; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, clear, fog.

## ANTHRACITE COAL.

The C. P. R. Mines at Bankhead, Near Banff, Being Opened Up.

W. S. Ayres, consulting mining and mechanical engineer, has just completed the installation of the extensive machinery for the development of the anthracite coal mines of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Bankhead, near Banff. The plant cost a million dollars, and is modern in every respect, with a capacity of 2,000 tons per day.

One of the main difficulties in opening up the mine was the driving of a tunnel 1,200 feet in length, 20 tap the coal veins. In the company's experience in the Rockies, these tunnels have all carved in, and it has been found almost impossible to build something that would stand. Acting, however, upon scientific principles, Mr. Ayres was successful in driving the tunnel two weeks ahead of the estimated time, and within the estimated cost.

"Four veins of coal have been opened, and the quantity is practically unlimited. The plant which has been put in requires it unnecessary for the coal to be handled, except by machinery, from the time it leaves the miner's shovel until it is furnished to the customer. The various sizes of egg, stove, nut, pea and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 buckwheat, the latter steaming coal, are produced, all traces of slate being removed by automatic appliances. Three of these are used, one being a special invention of Mr. Ayres. He has also designed a boiler setting so that Bankhead waste coal may be used as fuel for steaming purposes. By

HE WAS PRESENT  
AT THE OPENINGU.S. CONSUL SMITH  
BACK FROM PORTLANDDescribes Inaugural Ceremony—He Says  
Everything Was Ready—Brilliant  
Pageant on Thursday.

United States Consul Hon. A. E. Smith has returned from Portland, where he attended the opening ceremonies of the big Lewis and Clark exposition, which were concluded last Thursday. While not the only Victorian to behold the turning of the key that started the machinery in motion, the consul was, perhaps, the first to return, and his impressions, therefore, will prove interesting. This city will be largely represented among the pilgrims to the coast mecca of entertainment and instruction during the summer, and naturally they are anxious to learn whether the advance descriptions have been too highly embellished, or not enough.

The beautiful city on the Willamette was en fête on Thursday. It was decked on its Sunday best, and a joyous spirit permeated every nook and corner of it. The day was honored officially and commercially, being declared a holiday. The city was full of distinguished people. There was Vice-President Fairbanks, the man who stands next to President Roosevelt in the councils of the nation; there was Uncle Joe Cannon, Speaker of the House of Representatives, who is so greatly enamored of this Dominion that he wants to see it annexed; there were members of Congress galore, Governor Mead of Washington, Governor Chamberlain of Oregon, and other well-known coast public men, while Governor Pardee, of California, with a brilliant staff arrived on the scene the following day.

Vice-President Fairbanks was the guest of President Goode, of the exposition. On Thursday morning a squadron of United States cavalry and mounted police, several hundred strong, rode to the Goode mansion and lined up in imposing array. Soon the head of the big show and the second head of the nation, with their parties, emerged, and under military escort proceeded to the Portland hotel, from where the parade started. Consul Smith describes this parade as a splendid spectacular affair, a fitting preliminary pageant to the historic incidents that succeeded it. The cavalrymen and policemen were in the lead, followed by the grand marshal, his staff and aides. Then came the color guard bearing the national standard, the exposition standard and the standard of the Fourth United States cavalry. A company of the cavalry and their band followed, after which rode the vice-presidential party, the congressional party, more soldiers, including infantry and artillery, the national guard, cadet brigade and a rear guard, consisting of a platoon of mounted police.

When they reached the exposition grounds the place was black with people. It is estimated that there were 40,000 gathered there, a thousand of whom, as guests of the committee, had reserved seats. The procession was received with a vice-presidential salute of 19 guns. After an overture by Innes' splendid band, President Goode called the assembly to order at noon. Bishop Moore, of the Methodist Episcopal church, delivered divine invocation. Addresses were then given by President Goode, Governor Chamberlain, of Oregon; Jefferson Myers, president of the Lewis and Clark commission for Oregon; Mayor Williams, of Portland; Hon. Clarence Clark, on behalf of the United States Senate; Hon. Jas. Tawney, for the United States House of Representatives; Speaker Cannon and Vice-President Fairbanks. Then followed a wire to President Roosevelt at Washington informing him that everything was ready for his participation, and according to arrangement the strenuous Teddy was to turn the silver key which opened the proceedings. The President did his part all right, but there was something wrong with the connection, because the great chimel which were to announce the executive's "God speed" did not ring, at least they were not heard. President Goode declared the exposition formally opened, and after a rendering of the "Star Spangled Banner" by the massed bands, Archbishop Christie pronounced the benediction. The people were then at liberty to inspect the wonders of the show.

In Consul Smith's opinion a pre-eminent feature of the exposition was the fact that it was entirely ready for the opening. This is rather an innovation in events of the kind, the opening ceremonies of which have invariably been marred by the sounds of hammer, saws and machinery as the finishing details have been rushed to completion. Thus

the visitors who are now in attendance may feel satisfied that they have seen the fair, not a half-finished display. The fair grounds are beautifully situated and over a wide area. The buildings are of splendid architectural design, and thoroughly adequate for the purposes for which they are intended. The consul was most deeply impressed with the government building and its contents. It is a fine structure internally and externally, while the exhibit in it is one that is not easily forgotten. Among its features are displays representative of the various evolution of the federal systems. The postal service exhibit shows the progress made in this branch from the primitive method of mail delivery to the present state of perfection. The army is represented by a series showing the implements and means of warfare in prehistoric days, and the gradual improvements and evolution to the present time. The remarkable strides in naval architecture are portrayed by a series of models of all kinds beginning with the ancient galley, then the frigate, monitor, ironclad and finally the majestic battleship that now rides the waves. There is a world of instruction to be gained in this building, which is the daily centre of attraction for thousands.

The foreign exhibition and other buildings are equally well laid out and equipped. Mr. Smith did not have time to take in all these, but what he did see pleased him immensely. Then there are the side attractions including the various villages, the auxiliary shows and the thousand and one features without which a fair could hardly be considered complete. Victoria has contributed the unique amusement department in the shape of "The Giant Whirl," a machine that has just been completed at the works of the B. C. Marine railway at Esquimalt, on the order of the Giant Whirl Amusement Company, of Vancouver.

In principle it is a combination of the fair roundabout and the "giant stride" of the playground, but differs entirely in construction and proportions from both. It consists of a great rotating platform 60 feet in diameter, upon which are planted in a circle 10 masts nearly 50 feet high and all joined together by suitable framing and made to rotate together with the platform, which is carried upon a number of wheels revolving between circular tracks. From the heads of the 10 masts 40 cars hang by steel pendants 50 feet long, and as the whole structure rotates the 10 cars fly outwards and attain a diameter of 150 feet or more as they are desired.

The great machine is to be erected and operated in a most conspicuous position at the Portland fair. It has been built from the plans of Jas. K. Rebbeck, consulting engineer and inspector of the work, who is the constructive designer of the machine. R. H. Casswell, of Vancouver, being the patentee.

Although many intricacies of construction are involved, great simplicity has been attained, and the ease and rapidity with which the machine may be completely dismantled and re-erected is conspicuous. Sixty people may sit in the pendant cars and be swung through the air at 30 miles an hour, while 60 more spectators may take seats on the platform.

On Saturday afternoon a most satisfactory trial was carried out by Messrs. Bullen and staff at their works, everything working to perfection. Every man engaged on the construction vied with his neighbors for first seat in the swinging cars, all being enthusiastic and complimentary of results. The work has been well carried out, and is a credit to all concerned, and bids fair to be a most successful venture.

"BRITISH COLUMBIA WEEK" Will Be Special Feature of Big Exposition at Portland.

There will be a "British Columbia week" at the Portland exposition commencing on Monday, July 3rd, and ending on Saturday, July 8th. The attention of British Columbians is drawn to this feature in the following correspondence, which was communicated to the provincial press by Hon. F. J. Fulton:

Victoria, May 30th, 1905. Sir—I enclose herewith a copy of a letter addressed to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor by the president of the Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition. You will observe that the letter states that the exposition management has set apart the period commencing Monday, July 3rd, and ending Saturday, July 8th, as "British Columbia week." As this will be of interest to a great number of people in the province, it has seemed to me that the best way of bringing it to their notice will be through the newspapers, and I would therefore ask you to kindly notice the fact in some way in your columns, so that it may be brought to the attention of your readers and the residents of your neighborhood.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant.

FRED. J. FULTON,  
Provincial Secretary.

Office of the President,  
Portland, Ore., April 17th, 1905.  
Sir H. G. Joly de Lotbiniere, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sir—On behalf of the Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition, I take pleasure in stating that, with a view of doing honor to the great province of British Columbia and organizing a systematic movement by which the results of the various exhibitions in the province can, in substantial numbers, arrange to visit and enjoy the manifold educational advantages and other attractions at the exposition, the exposition management has decided to set apart the period commencing Monday, July 3rd, and ending Saturday, July 8th, as "British Columbia week." Separate days in the week can be designated by municipalities of the province for their respective special celebrations at the exposition. A "Dominion of Canada Day" has already been arranged for Saturday, July 1st.

If this plan meets with your approval we would request the issuance by you of a proclamation a month in advance of the suggested period, calling the attention of the people of British Columbia to these auspicious events, and urging every patriotic son and daughter of your great province to assemble at the exposition during this time for the purpose of honoring the occasion and by their presence insure the success of its importance deserves.

In this connection permit me to add that the mayor of each city will be invited direct by the exposition management to make appropriate arrangements for the visit

of the city's delegation to the Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition, and all are assured of a hearty welcome.

Awaiting your reply, I am, very respectfully yours,  
(Sgd.) H. W. GOODE,  
President.

ENGLISH OPERA SINGERS.  
Dale's Company Will Open Engagement at the Victoria Theatre To-Night.

Dale's English opera singers, who have been scoring a big success all along their route through Eastern Canada, will open a three-nights' engagement at the Victoria Theatre to-night. The programme selected for this evening is "Arcadian" in splendid costumes. These artists have played to crowded houses everywhere they have been. The Canadian press comments on the singers are very eulogistic, as witness the following:

"Windsor hall was filled with an audience that went away delighted. A rare treat."—Montreal Witness, March 21st, 1905.

"A most pleasing exhibition of lyrical skill."—Quebec Chronicle, March 23rd.

"The best of the kind ever seen here."—Ottawa Citizen, April 1st.

"Delightful and charming. A really bright and wholesome performance."—Halifax Herald, March 2nd.

"An excellent company."—St. John Globe, March 14th.

"The audience was delighted."—Toronto Globe, May 10th.

"One of the best things that ever was seen in Winnipeg."—Winnipeg Telegram, May 25th.

The plan is now open at Walt's music store, where seats can be secured.

THE MAKING OF MAPS.

Large map-making firms have geographical libraries collected from every source and in every language. The modest sketch map of the missionary in some wild region is as highly valued as the most complete survey map. In making a new map of any important region the compilations made by others are hardly ever touched. Representatives are sent out and every detail is taken from its original source. These representatives are paid enormous salaries. They are never rushed, but are allowed to take as long over their work as they think it necessitates.

The cost of producing a map of the world would be enormous; each government would have to share the expense. The time taken would also be very great. There are at present no ordnance maps of South America, nor of large portions of Asia. Even were a united international effort made it would be many years before the work could be completed. Different methods would have to be employed in different countries.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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## "PATRIOTISM," ETC.

"We have seen a great city grow up in the United States through Canadian-made goods. We have seen Seattle merchants, grasping for breath one day, waxing fat and insolent the next, when the golden millions of the Yukon were poured in their waiting laps. Are we going to sit idly by while they wax fatter and more insolent through the riches of the Similkameen being diverted to them, through the influence of traitorous newspapers struggling to get out of the pawnpshop, and purchasable politicians? Surely not. The Province would sooner see the Similkameen remain undeveloped for another generation than that its wealth should go to prop up the fortunes of people on the other side of the line. Let us not forget the building of the British flag and the grand old motto that ought to come home with peculiar force to every business man in Vancouver to-day:

"What we have we'll hold."

It is perhaps unnecessary to explain that the sentences quoted above are taken from the Vancouver Province. Concealed in the purple, thought forth without sin, reared in luxury and living in affluence, our Vancouver contemporary is the only newspaper in the province that carries its proud head in independence. Thus and thus it is justified in standing upon the pinnacle of its greatness and magnificence and casting aspersions upon the financial standing and the loyalty of its hiring neighbors. And the petty politicians of British Columbia, too—aye, of the whole of the Dominion—they are susceptible of purchase at a price and are unworthy of anything but the withering scorn of the heroic soul in whose breast the fires of patriotism burn so brightly. Verily they had all better get out of the way, as we intend to do after firing one random shot in the confusion of our retreat, lest they be cremated in the consuming stream of red-hot patriotic lava that issues from the columns of this journalistic volcano.

We were convinced from the first that the contest for the preservation of monopoly in transportation in Southern British Columbia would eventually narrow itself down to an agonistic of the Old Flag and a prayer for the annihilation of all the traitorous brood who harbor designs against the privileges of monopoly. Our contemporary the Colonist, being older in years—and perhaps in its state of comparative poverty not being capable of commanding such rich provender as its more affluent neighbor—has not yet attained to such a fine frenzy of expressed contempt for the opinions of the paupers who linger on the threshold of the pawnpshop. All the Colonist asks is for a guarantee of the good faith of Mr. Hill in the premises. It admits that direct connection with the southern portion of the province might be of considerable advantage to the coast cities, which is a very reasonable concession considering that the paper has on numerous occasions advocated the bestowal of subsidies amounting to millions of dollars from public treasuries for the attainment of such a project, but thinks we ought to have some guarantee that the line would be completed to the coast. The interests the V., V. & E. already possesses in New Westminster, in Vancouver and in Victoria would be a sufficient pledge of the genuineness of the purpose of the company if our contemporary were in a susceptible mood. The haste with which a rival company is gobbling up all the transportation concerns that are available in this and in other neighborhoods would be a sufficient sign to the organs that the C. P. R. has no doubts respecting the intentions of the V., V. & E. Company if signs were acceptable as evidence of good faith.

But what evidence of independence of opinion can one expect from a newspaper

such as the Vancouver Province, which opposed the entrance of the Great Northern into Vancouver and demonstrated to the satisfaction of its own unbiased and unpurchasable mind that the presence of a competitor with the C. P. R. would mean increased freight rates for Terminal City merchants, higher municipal taxation for the people of the Terminal City generally, and a category of calamities that would have filled a page of that great, affluent and contemporaneously contemptuous journal? The Province opposed the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific on substantially the same grounds. In fact—and no doubt for good and sufficient reasons—the Province has from the very beginning of its career as a daily journal of superior excellence and incorruptible independence steadfastly maintained that only by the coddling encouragement of one line of railway could the province of British Columbia hope for the adequate development of her resources. The sum of the reasoning has been to the effect that there is but a certain and undulating volume of railway business to be had in British Columbia. Give this business all to one company and it will be carried at the minimum of cost. Divide it between two and the rate, for obvious reasons, will be twice the former figure. Evidently it would be useless to attempt to convert such a monstrous abnormality into a normal form of mind. The Province will not sit idly by while traitorous newspapers and purchasable politicians pursue their fell designs and conspire to alter conditions now wholly desirable. As the one solvent patriot left in the ranks of journalism in this province of generally doubtful financial standing—in one part of the article our contemporary asks in characteristically provincial style whether the construction of the V., V. & E. will keep Victoria merchants out of the poorhouse—the Province whistles to the British Bulldog and announces its unflinching determination of adhering to what it has. No more building up of American cities at the expense of the industries of British Columbia—not if our militant Vancouver contemporary can help it and the Bulldog is in the old-time belligerent mood. Never again shall the Yankee merchant wax fat and then insolent as the products of our mines. The Province will see that a stop is put to that. But in what way? The voracious Jim Hill already has the freest access to the mines of Southern British Columbia. He has charters which will enable him to connect Spokane with every one of them. He is asking permission to connect the Canadian coast with them also because he realizes that between the Similkameen and the coast a great and increasing business might be done if the intervening territory were developed.

So, after all, we really cannot see that the Bulldog can be of any assistance in curbing the predatory instincts of Mr. Hill. But if the C. P. R. were well advised it would place a muzzle upon the mouth of its offensively rabid organ.

## "NO COERCION."

The Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, the Rev. Dr. Milligan, has arrived home in Toronto after his visit to the Northwest and the Pacific Coast. Dr. Milligan was one of the principal speakers at the anti-coercion meeting held in the Ontario capital, and for that reason one would expect his interest to be very deep in the question which is at the present time exciting Ontario and no other portion of the Dominion. Yet the doctor reports that in the course of his travels through the regions affected he was unable to discover any excitement whatever. He heard, says the Toronto Globe, nothing about coercion from the time he left Toronto until he returned. "Dollar bills, not autonomy bills, are what the people are thinking about," it is just possible that there was a trace of bitterness in the tone of the reverend gentleman as he made this observation. The West is too expansive and tolerant in its view to work itself into a frenzy over the shibboleths or sibboleths of the polemical politicians of the East.

Professor Bryce, of Winnipeg, who is an educationist as well as an ecclesiastic, and is as much a Western man in sentiment as he is either, in an interview with a reporter of the same newspaper, said he found the people of the West well satisfied with the present system of education. They are well pleased with the system it is proposed to perpetuate because it is as near to a public school system as is workable in Canada. It is more advantageous to the people than is the compromise in force in Manitoba, where the minority have established schools of their own in addition to contributing to the funds which maintain the state schools. In the old province the separate schools cannot be subjected to state supervision. In the new provinces the state will have absolute control and will prescribe the courses of tuition and the conduct of all the schools. "It is because," says Dr. Bryce, "I am well acquainted with the Territories and their school system that I am confident that their method is the best yet devised for approximating to uniformity, and yet giving a certain diversity to allow for religious instruction and religious sentiment."

Respecting the cry of coercion raised by the Toronto News and other Conservative newspapers in Ontario, Professor Bryce says "the only coercion in sight is that of a narrow-minded hand-ful in Toronto who wish to coerce our

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 TELEPHONE 118. ESTABLISHED 1902.

Western people into an agitation that is distasteful to them. There is a feeling of resentment in the West against these Toronto dictators. They may save themselves the trouble. The Dominion has outgrown the dictation of any one city or of any one clique. Please tell these Toronto agitators that if the Western people do not know they are being coerced there is no coercion.

We publish in another column the views of this representative Western man who has had special opportunities of acquiring the fullest information respecting the sentiments and preferences of the West and commend them to the attention of all who desire to gain a knowledge of the facts in regard to the much discussed school question. If there were any surrender to the "hier-archy" in the position of the Laurier government, there is very little likelihood that such a sturdy Presbyterian as Dr. Bryce would have uttered one word of commendation.

Neither the city nor the provincial government, so far as we can learn, has made a move for the extradition of one P. Coll, who is wanted in Victoria for forgery. As readers of the Times are well aware, the provincial and civic authorities are waiting for each other to do something. The attitude of the attorney-general's department in this instance seems hardly consistent with the position adopted when the Chinese per-jury case was before the courts. Then the attorney-general had the right to intervene at any stage in a prosecution, no matter which court it was in. Now he contends that he has nothing to do with such matters until they reach the higher tribunals. It is also strange that if his department is not responsible for extradition proceedings, extradition authority can only be obtained from the federal department of justice through him.

Toronto Globe: The Globe never did, and does not now, approve of the policy of shutting American railways out of Canadian territory. The "patriotic" arguments of the railway interests are not convincing.

## WANTED MORE CHEERFUL TALK.

An old bachelor farmer in Grey County was being married a few years ago to a young girl, and the preacher asked: "Do you take this woman to be your wedded wife, to love and to cherish, in sickness and health, for better, for worse, for rich or poor, until death do you part?" The groom seemed very much agitated by these formal words, and looked helplessly around. At last he spoke: "There ain't no use makin' the outlook of this weddin' so darn gloomy," he burst out at last.

## NOT AN UP-TO-DATE FAIRY.

Modern Society.  
 The beautiful lady in the twentieth century fairy tale was about to be married. Adorned with jewels almost as dazzling and costly as those worn by the bride, the good fairy appeared.  
 "I have come," she said, "to touch you with my magic wand, so that you will live happily ever after."  
 "It's awfully sweet of you," responded the bride, cordially; "but, don't you know, that wouldn't be at all fashionable now."

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## MANSIONS SIX BY TWO.

Maurice Smiley in Criticism.

Down there in the vale are the hovels,  
 The City of Never a Home;  
 Up there on the hill is Dixieville,  
 With many a fretted dome,  
 And between them lieth another,  
 Where never is joy nor rue;  
 Where every citizen dwelleth,  
 In a Mansion Six By Two.

And off from the huts in Lazarus Town  
 And the palaces there on the hill  
 That goeth a prayer for the peace out there  
 Where every pain is still;  
 The City of God's White Aurores,  
 Where every day is glad,  
 Where never a heart-storm beareth  
 And never a heart is sad.

And even the wan possessions  
 That wind thro' the squallid street  
 Or trail their state thro' the palace gate  
 In the Middlewise City meet:  
 The sleepers from rags and riches  
 And the pain and the joy they knew,  
 Rest side by side unfretted  
 In their Mansions Six By Two.

And never the rich man apurneth,  
 Nor the poor man envies again;  
 For none of the old distinctions  
 Hears naught of the world's complaint.  
 And whoever goes down the long white rows  
 That the hut and the palace guard,  
 Makes the couch of Dives softer  
 Or the bed of Lazarus hard.

And who shall say which is sweeter  
 When the ache of the heart is gone—  
 The rest that sleep 'neath the marble heape  
 Or the rest of the simple stone?  
 For the same great peace is on them,  
 Out there in the shine and the dew,  
 Since they left the vale and the hillside  
 For their Mansions Six By Two.

## THE LAW'S DELAY.

The state supreme court has affirmed the decision of four lower courts in the famous Stevens-Smith cow case, which was begun fifteen years ago, and had cost \$2,500 in attorneys' fees and court costs. The value of the cow was \$30, and she has been dead twelve years. Stevens placed the cow in a pasture fifteen years ago. When he was in California the owner of the pasture sold it, with his herd, including Stevens' cow, to R. M. Smith. When Stevens returned he demanded the cow, offering to pay for her pasturage. Smith refused to give her up and the long legal fight began. Stevens says he will carry the case to the Federal Supreme court if possible.

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—AND—

# LAWN MOWERS

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# NOT A DULL DAY IN JUNE

Between Spencer's and the Victoria Public, the time has passed when argument, reasoning and explanation concerning the most unusual bargains is necessary. Our statements and goods at prices to prove them is all that is needed. We have planned some very unusual bargains during this month, and the credulity of faith will be needed as you read some of the advertisements.

# House Furnishing Sale

We have had by far the best season's business in the House Furnishing department yet experienced. We are going to keep up the season's record with one of the most successful sales.  
 This sale includes Wall Papers, Rugs, Linoleums and Mattings, and will commence on Tuesday next.

Over 5,000 Rolls of Wallpaper go on Sale Tuesday at 6 1-2c per roll, usual values, 10c, 12c, 14c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c per roll

The average value is 18c. per roll. The entire lot of over 5,000 rolls go on sale Tuesday at 6 1-2c. per roll—1/4 to 1/2 of former prices, and our former prices are 25 per cent. less than most wall paper stores.

## Linoleums

All short ends of Inlaid Linoleum, \$1.25 qualities. Tuesday, 75c. per yard.

2 to 10 yards in each piece.  
 Printed Linoleums. All short ends of Printed Linoleums, 50c. qualities. Tuesday, 25c. square yard.

50c. Oilcloths, extra heavy, for 35c. yard.  
 English Linoleums, 50c. and 65c. per square yard.  
 English Linoleums, 4 yards wide, usual value \$1.10. For the sale 75c. per square yard.

## Mohair

## Hearth Rugs

\$6.75, All Colors

1 1/2 yard pieces of Best Wilton and Axminster Carpets, \$1.00 each.

## Wool, Tapestry and

## Brussel Squares

Wool Squares, sizes 3x4 and 3x6 4. a mixed lot; value \$8.50, \$9.50 and \$10.50. Tuesday, \$5.75.  
 Others at \$8.75 from \$12.50; at \$10.75 from \$13.50; at \$12.50 from \$16.75.

## Tapestry Squares

Sizes 2 1/4 x 3 to 4 x 4 1/2. 47 Squares in all.  
 • Size 2 1/4 x 3 at \$3.75. Regular, \$5.75.  
 • Size 3 x 3 at \$7.50. Regular, \$10.50.  
 • Size 3 x 3 1/2 at \$9.75. Regular, \$13.50.  
 • Size 3 x 3 1/2 at \$12.50. Regular, \$15.00.  
 • Size 3 x 4 at \$7.75. Regular, \$11.00.  
 • Size 3 1/2 x 4 at \$12.50. Regular, \$16.75.  
 Six only.

Size 3 1/2 x 4 at \$14.75. Regular, \$18.75.  
 • Size 4 x 4 at \$17.50. Regular, \$22.50.  
 • Size 4 x 4 1/2 at \$14.50. Regular, \$18.50.  
 • Size 4 x 4 1/2 at \$17.50. Regular, \$22.50.

## Matting

At \$3.75, \$5.75, and \$7.50 per roll of 38 and 40 yards

These Mattings are sold by the Roll.  
 RUGS AND MATS.  
 Axminster Door Mats, for this sale 50c. each.  
 Velvet and Wilton Hearth Rugs, various kinds. Regular, \$4.75 to \$7.50. For this sale \$3.75.  
 Axminster Hearth Rugs. Regular, \$3.75. For this sale \$2.75.  
 Brussels Squares at \$11.75. Regular, \$14.50. Six only.  
 Other prices, \$13.50 to \$27.50.  
 Further particulars about the House Furnishing Later.

## An Exceptional Offering in the Costume Department Tuesday

On Tuesday we will place on sale forty-five Lustre Suits made to sell in the usual way at \$7.50—for \$4.75 per Suit. Colors: navy, brown, black and white and sizes up to 40. Skirts and Blouses tucked. Late delivery of Lustres go on sale Monday at 35c per yard. Colors: brown, navy, black, white; cream and pale blue.

## About The Whitewear Sale

We have planned for exceptional selling every day during this month in this department. New list of Bargains advertised almost every day.  
 Special in this Department for MONDAY—Women's Night Dresses at 90c.; value \$1.25 to \$2.00.

## A Grand Lot of Higs-Glass Furniture Now on Display



Reception Chairs, Davenport, Bedroom Furniture, Weathered Oak Furniture for the Dining-room and Hall.  
 SPECIAL—15 Styles of Dining-room Chairs, Leather Upholstered, at \$52.50 to \$47.50 per Set of 6.





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And the water he drew from the moss covered well,  
But Victorians sing of a water called White Rock,  
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To get the pure water the poet has told of,  
One must go to the well and the windmill must turn.  
No trouble at all to hear about White Rock,  
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## FOR SALE

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Cheap Rates.—On June 14th, 15th and 16th the Northern Pacific Railway Company will sell round trip tickets to Milwaukee, Wis., at a greatly reduced rate. Cheap excursion tickets now on sale to the Lewis & Clark fair, Portland.

### THE REMEDY

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### A SNAP

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NO. 2 VIEW STREET.

Opp. Main Entrance to Driford Hotel.

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Lever's T-Z (Wash Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other soap powders, as it also acts as a disinfectant.

### SALOON FOR SALE

Good Saloon for sale, Government Street. Good location. Price very reasonable. Enquire

**PITHER & LEISER**

—All members of No. 2 company, Fifth Regiment, are requested to do their class firing at once, as scores must be in by 10th inst., otherwise they will be unable to draw their annual drill pay.

—There is every reason to believe that the negotiations between the C. P. R. and James Dunsmuir, looking to the acquisition of the railroad and land grant by the big transcontinental corporation, will be completed in a day or two at the outside. The solicitors for the principals are continually at work completing details.

—An ideal investment is what people are looking for. But what is an ideal investment? In the first place an ideal investment must be absolutely safe, without this no investment is worthy of a moment's consideration. Secondly, it must be free from taxation that saps of net returns. Thirdly, it must earn a good rate of interest. Fourthly, it must be guaranteed for a long term of years. The 5 per cent. gold bond issued by the Mutual Life of Canada is just such an investment. A. B. McNeil, special agent; R. L. Drury, manager, 34 Broad Street.

—Ysaie, the celebrated violinist, will not appear at the Victoria theatre this season as was originally contemplated. Next year he will probably play here, and on that occasion he will be accompanied by M. Webevre, a young Belgian pianist who is regarded as a very promising artist.

—Rowland Brittain, patent attorney of Vancouver, sends the following account of a patent recently issued to a British Columbia inventor: Archibald Stewart, moulder, of New Westminster, recently received a Canadian patent on an improved stove invented by him and designed to effect a greater economy of fuel, and more uniform results than can be attained in a stove of ordinary construction.

—Harold Holter, a young Englishman who has lived on Vancouver Island about a year, was found dead with a rifle shot wound on him in a cabin at the foot of Mount Prevost, on Saturday. A rifle recently discharged was found beside the body. Coroner Norcross and a jury sat on the case on Saturday, but adjourned until to-day to allow Provincial Constable Lomas time to get an important witness.

—The members of the St. Barnabas' parish held their annual picnic at the Gorge on Saturday afternoon. Unfortunately the rain somewhat dampened the ardor of the picnickers, who were compelled to adjourn to Mrs. Marshall's hall, where the afternoon was spent in games. The Victoria Mandolin Club, under the direction of Sidney Talbot, provided a pleasing musical programme during the afternoon. The picnic will be continued this evening. Those having tickets for Saturday will be served with tea at 6.30 p.m. A dance will close the evening.

—A private letter received from a Victorian in Dawson this morning contains a number of interesting items regarding the northern metropolis. The river, the writer states, opened on the 10th, and the ice ran of several days without damage. The first boat arrived on the 18th from Hootalinqua. Lake Lebarge was expected to be open about the 26th. The Creek railroad has a few men at work blasting for their line near Dawson. They expect to have it in operation this summer. The estimate of the year's clean-up by conservative men is \$7,000,000. No word has yet been received regarding the Tanana clean-up, the result of which is awaited with much interest. The season is about two weeks behind previous years with cold and changeable weather.

—There are four notices of motion adorning the city hall bulletin board. One is fathered by the mayor, and is to the effect that he will recommend a resolution authorizing the fixing of the corporate seal to a quit claim deed from the corporation to G. B. Ordano to certain land on the north side of Rock Bay causeway, and to an agreement between Mr. Ordano and the city relating to the embankment at lot 23, Rock Bay. Ald. Oddy has a notice dealing with an alteration of the minutes with regard to certain proposed permanent sidewalks in James Bay. Ald. Oddy will also introduce a resolution providing for the destruction of some condemned shacks and outbuildings on Broad street, structures that should have been removed years ago. AM. Hanna's pound-by-law amendment, to which reference was made in these columns on Saturday, is also on the council's business roster.

## STEAMER VENTURE STRUCK A REEF

FLOATED OFF AGAIN AT NEXT HIGH TIDE

She is Uninjured—Navigation Is Now Open From White Horse to Dawson.

The steamer Venture on Thursday night went ashore at new Bella Bella. The steamer was proceeding at slow speed when the accident happened, and had got in too close to shore in the darkness. The engines were reversed, but without avail, and the steamer remained until high tide on Friday, when she floated off and proceeded on her course.

The local agents of the company operating the Venture, namely, the Boscawen Steamship Company, have received word that the Venture was uninjured by the accident.

The vessel was under the command of Capt. Warren, and was on her way north with a general cargo. Mr. Barnley has received a message from Port Simpson to the effect that the steamer is at high tide and has left that port for Victoria. She will arrive here about Wednesday.

### AMUR RETURNS.

The steamer Amur from Skagway arrived yesterday. The weather conditions in the north are reported to be excellent. When the Amur left on Tuesday the first through steamer for Dawson was expected to leave White Horse on Thursday.

Later advices from the north are to the effect that Lake LeBarge is clear of ice and that on Saturday the first passenger steamer reached Dawson from White Horse. With the opening of navigation there will be a rush of freight into the northern capital.

The Amur brings the news that at White Horse the effects of the fire were not nearly as severely felt as at first reported. There was abundance of supplies on hand at the place, so that no want was felt. Most of the business men who were burned out have found temporary quarters and begun anew.

Capt. Seward, who is well known to Victorians, saved a little of his stock from the fire and has opened out in a tent. In spite of the disaster the town of White Horse celebrated the 24th of May in a fitting style.

The Amur brought south on this trip Mr. Biggar, who went north with the Canada-Alaska boundary parties and is now on his way back to Ottawa. He disembarked at Vancouver.

### FROM NORTHERN PORTS.

The steamer Princess Beatrice arrived yesterday from northern British Columbia ports. When the steamer left Bella Bella the Venture was ashore. The latter, however, floated off at high water. At northern points the run of spring salmon was beginning, and some small catches had been made.

On the way up the Beatrice landed at Queen Charlotte Islands a party of prospectors who embarked at Vancouver. Among the passengers who returned by the steamer were W. H. Dempster of this city, who was interested in the dog fish industry at Skidegate; Mrs. T. Baxter, wife of the provincial boiler inspector, also returned from the north on this trip; Miss Spencer, a nurse in the Port Simpson hospital, who came down to spend a holiday in Vancouver and Victoria.

### NORTHERN MACHINERY.

The steamer Henriette is loading a lot of heavy machinery at Vancouver for northern mining camps. A large portion of her cargo will consist of dredging machinery belonging to the Bonanza Basin Gold Dredging Company. This plant when set up will be the largest in the Yukon, and the second largest in the world.

The Henriette is taking up the knock-down hull of a gold dredge owned by the Brenner-Rothchild Company. The hull was built at the yards of the Pacific Coast Lumber Company, Coal Harbor, and no less than 240,000 feet of lumber were used in its construction. Some of the timbers are exceedingly massive.

### LIBEL CASE.

Advices from the Sound are to the effect that the Celtic Monarch Ship Company has filed an answer in the Federal court at Seattle to the libel in which the Celtic Monarch is libelled jointly with the tug Sea Lion by the Pacific Coast Company, as owners of the Mainlander, which was injured in a collision between the three vessels last November. Along with the answer is a counter-claim against the Sea Lion, in which it is alleged that the latter vessel alone was responsible for the accident and that the damage to the Celtic Monarch was \$6,000.

### JANSON COMING.

The British steamer Janson, of the Blue Funnel line, is expected to make her first visit to these waters this fall. She is due to leave Liverpool July 22nd, and to leave Tacoma on the return trip October 26th.

The Janson is a steamer of 7,440 tons gross, and is a sister ship to the Tydenus, Pelous and Telemachus, all of them well known in this port. The Janson has been running between English ports and those of Japan and China but never before has she come to Puget Sound.

### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

The following notice has been issued by Capt. Gaudin, agent of the marine and fisheries department: "Owing to the necessity of turning off the electric current during the alterations of the fog alarm system at Brothey Ledge from the present horn, to a bell worked by electricity, the light will not be operated for a few days pending completion of the work."

### MARINE NOTES.

The steamer Robert Dollar with a

broken tail shaft is undergoing repairs at San Francisco. She was on her way to Puget Sound when the accident occurred.

On Friday night the steamer Olympia, bound for Nome, put into Port Townsend to land 30 stowaways.

The Cottage City will call here tomorrow morning on her way north. It is expected that the party of congressmen who attended the opening of the Portland fair will be aboard the Cottage City on a trip north.

The barge Georgia No. 2 is being loaded at Vancouver with live stock for the north. The Vancouver Province says: "When the barge is loaded she will have 175 head of cattle, 200 hogs and about 300 sheep. The animals will be quartered much more commodiously on the barge than could possibly be in the case were they being transported in the 'tween decks of any of the coasting vessels. They will have plenty of fresh air and lots of standing room, and should therefore reach their destination in first class condition."

### PERSONAL.

A. C. Cabel, who has had charge of the development operations in connection with the Nahmint mine, Alberni, was among the arrivals from the West Coast by the steamer Queen City yesterday. Seen by a Times representative this morning he stated that the property mentioned had been "closed down." All the men employed there for the past seven months have been withdrawn and now the place is practically deserted, a watchman being left to take care of the plant. It will be remembered that some time after the Nahmint had been closed by G. Hayes it was announced that capitalists of Portland, Ore., had secured a controlling interest and intended exploiting the property. One of the leading spirits in the enterprise was Roderick McClay, a prominent mining engineer of that place, who was firmly convinced that there was some somewhere in the property if it could be discovered. The necessary money was advanced, and Mr. Cabel, an experienced miner, was placed in charge of the operations. For the past seven months he has supervised the work. The search for ore has paying quantities has proved fruitless in the neighborhood of \$20,000 has been expended by Mr. McClay and his partners. This money was invested in repairing the machinery, wages and other numerous incidentals. An effort will be made, according to Mr. Cabel, to sell the plant, as those financially interested in the mine have given up all hope of discovering the ore they were originally so confident of finding. Mr. Cabel, discussing the situation with the reporter, remarked that no less than \$200,000 had been spent on the Nahmint mine since it was first prospectured. Speaking of the situation at Alberni generally, Mr. Cabel says that a number of new properties are opening up and business is becoming brisk. The salmon canneries were contemplating opening in the course of a few days, but were not confident of making a large pack. Mr. Cabel is on his way to Portland.

J. Heath, of Alberni, and James Murray, of Budger's Cove, arrived from the West Coast by the steamer Queen City yesterday. They report that mining and other enterprises are beginning to lead activity to the district. Other arrivals on the same vessel from Quatsino state that the announcement of the settlement of all difficulties between those interested in the June group of claims and the probability of an early resumption of active operations has had a very stimulating effect on business generally. It is understood that the promoters intend constructing an aerial tramway from the property to the water, which is quite a distance, and to build a wharf at its terminus. This will be undertaken immediately as the shipping may start at the earliest possible moment. The owners have every confidence that the mine will pay from the start, and will employ a large staff of men in order that returns may be secured before the summer is far advanced. Messrs. Heath and Murray are at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale, of the Dale English opera singers, London, Eng., A. Heathen, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., of Vancouver; J. McCreedy, a capitalist from England, who is interested in several Yukon mining properties; A. G. Duncomb, an agent for several prominent American publishing companies, with headquarters at Seattle; and J. Harwood, of Goldstream, are in the city. They are at the Vernon hotel.

A. G. Judd and wife, of New York, are at the Dominion hotel. Mr. Judd is a business man and is making a tour of the Coast on business and pleasure combined. Mr. and Mrs. Judd arrived from Vancouver last evening, having come from Chicago to British Columbia by way of Seattle. They expect to be here several days.

George R. Jackson, of this city, who has been taking a post graduate course in medicine at Jefferson College, Philadelphia, is one of the fortunate few to secure a post at Jefferson College hospital in recognition of the great success he scored at the recent examination.

J. A. Runquist and Mrs. Bertha Holten, of Seattle, arrived from the Sound yesterday. They were united in the holy bonds of matrimony this morning, and will spend their honeymoon in this city. They are registered at the Victoria hotel.

G. H. Hughes and W. E. Bradwin, of Vancouver, who are identified with the B. C. Accountants' Association, arrived from the Mainland last evening and intend spending several days here on business. They are guests at the Victoria hotel.

Dr. S. W. Mackenzie, of Winnipeg, Man., returned from a brief visit to the Sound yesterday. He intends extending his stay in this city a short time in order to take in all the points of attraction. While here he is a guest at the Driford.

Henry G. Houge and Tudor G. A. Tiedeman, prominent insurance men of San Francisco, Cal., are in the city. They are staying at the Driford hotel.

Miss Gertrude L. Lyon, of St. Paul, Minn., arrived from the Sound yesterday and registered at the Driford. She left this morning for Chemung, where she will spend a week or so, the guest of E. J. Palmer, manager of the mill at that place.

J. C. MacLure, of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Spicer, of Duncan; H. Saper, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Eldings, of Colorado Springs; F. B. Palmer, of Pittsburgh; and James Breen, of Butte, are in the city. They are at the Driford hotel.

E. F. G. Richards, of Vancouver, repre-

senting the Hammond Typewriter Co., is in the city, registered at the Balmoral.

R. C. Blackburn and Mrs. Blackburn returned this morning from a wedding tour of the Sound cities.

C. E. Dribble, of Seattle, is spending a few days here on business and is staying at the Victoria.

Thos. Burke, of Springfield, Ill., is in the city on business of importance. He is a guest at the Dominion.

—The case of John Helder, charged with obtaining money under false pretences, came up in the police court this morning, and was again remanded until tomorrow, when it is the intention of the police to proceed. A Chinaman arraigned for stealing an ax from W. Fox was likewise returned to jail until tomorrow.

A baseball match will be played between the Independent and Oak Bay teams this evening on the latter's grounds. Independent nine will line up as follows: Catcher, E. Pawcett; pitcher, P. Therault; first base, E. McQuade; second base, C. McDougal; short stop, P. McQuade; third base, S. Winsby; left field, B. Clark; centre field, H. Rouchon; right field, B. Marion.

A rather unique accident occurred at the Driford hotel this morning. A gentleman who had business with the clerk upon leaving the office room of the hotel made the extraordinary mistake of walking through one of the plate glass windows. His only injury was a cut hand. The mistake is a compliment to Proprietor Harrison on the cleanliness of his window.

The funeral of Thomas Cox took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. A. L. B. Gordon, No. 7 Macdure street, at 2.15, and at Christ church cathedral at 2.30 o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. Canon Beishands at the church and grave. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful floral emblems. The following acted as pall-bearers: W. Minny, J. Knappett, A. Boyce, A. Peterson, C. Godley and L. Walton.

A. J. Dallain is in receipt of the appended self-explanatory communication from Rev. A. St. John Milmay, of Vernon College, Vernon: "I enclose express order for \$1.00, being the contribution of Vernon Boys' College to Clive Phillips-Wolley's fund for the lethal chambers, for which you have kindly undertaken to be collector: James Skinner, 10c.; Wm. Aitkens, 25c.; Ernest Aitkens, 25c.; Rev. A. St. J. Milmay, 50c.; Mrs. St. J. Milmay, 50c. Total, \$1.00.

The annual mobilization of the coast troops will take place three weeks hence. The plans are not yet definitely settled, but it is expected that the local soldiers will embark on Saturday, June 24th, on a special boat which will convey them to Victoria direct, where they will go into camp at Oak Bay with the Victoria contingent. The period of training will be concluded on the following Monday, and the regiment will again embark for Vancouver, sleeping on board and arriving here in time for business on Tuesday morning."—Vancouver World.

The death occurred yesterday afternoon of the family residence, Esquimalt road, of William Young, a native of Willwall, Kent, England. Mr. Young came to Victoria on H. M. S. Zenobia, and was employed about the Esquimalt drydock for sixteen years. He leaves a widow and two daughters, Mrs. W. J. Richards and Miss Emily Young, and six sons, John, Thomas, William, Edwin, Frank and Frederick. The funeral is arranged to take place from the residence on Wednesday afternoon at 2.15, and at St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, at 2.30 o'clock, the interment taking place at Ross Bay cemetery.

## A Book Exchange

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## Sporting News

## BASEBALL

## EVERETT VICTORIOUS.

Once again the Victoria nine went down to defeat before the Everett team on Saturday at the Oak Bay grounds. The score was 6 to 4, and gives a fairly correct idea of the character of the contest. While the locals only secured five somewhat scattered hits from Carter, Everett's twirler, the visitors bunched hits on Holmes in the second and fourth innings and, throughout the game, secured no less than ten safe ones. Under the circumstances the home team, it must be acknowledged, performed some particularly smart fielding in holding down the opposing base runners to six runs. The crowd which witnessed the match wasn't large, the threatening weather interfering with the attendance. Toward the close of the struggle it commenced to rain and, shortly after the second game was called, the shower increased. Umpire Derrick then stopped play and announced that the contest would proceed if the weather allowed. After the usual twenty minutes wait, however, he declared the game off. When the second match was stopped the score stood 4 to 2 in favor of Everett. Although Victoria had the misfortune to lose, the match was close and interesting right up to the last inning. With the exception of three or four errors, the fielding was fast and reliable. Several near double plays were brought off by the Victoria infield, much to the delight of local fans. "But what's the good of fielding if they can't hit?" it's a saying that makes the rule and wins the game," remarked a critical enthusiast just as the home team was applauded for one of these plays. And there is a great deal of truth in the statement that the batting averages of a nine tell the tale. So far Victoria has been behind in this regard and as a result the team has taken the last place in the North-western league standing.

When the team came together in the second inning, after having been awarded a cipher in the first, the Everetts started the ball rolling. Heilmuller getting a base on a neat single. Mackie followed this up with a splendid sacrifice while Steele was retired on a foul fly. Erie then secured a single and Holmes made an error on Altman's infield hit, while Carter came up and made a safe hit, two runs crossing the plate. The remainder of the side retired and nothing more of importance happened until the end of the third inning.

Victoria started scoring on that occasion. Downing singled and when Holmes stropped up to the plate the hopes of local fans sank to zero, for, although "Jimmy" is very popular as a pitcher, his batting average is not specially creditable. But he was destined to hand out a surprise in the shape of a neat single hit in this instance, and was enthusiastically cheered. Heilmuller sacrificed them to second and third. Ford was given free transportation and, with the bases full, matters began to look bright for the locals. Hutchison hit to Hulen, who threw to second, retiring Ford but allowing Downing to score. McManus came to the rescue with a splendid threebagger which passed the centre fielder and rolled right to the fence. Both Holmes and Hutchison came in and the home team seemed to have a mortgage on the game if nothing unexpected occurred.

The unforeseen, however, happened in the fifth inning. When Everett came to bat they started in locating the Holmes curves one after the other, with the result that four runs were secured. Hulen was the first to get a base. Then Jacobs, Steinmuller, Mackie and Erie followed with singles, and all except one made the circuit.

Much to the disappointment of the local fans, nothing was doing in the sixth or seventh inning. Matters brightened a little in the eighth when McManus hit and scored one more run on some pretty combination play by the local batters. But it was impossible to secure enough to win the match without an unusual streak of batting, and, unfortunately, that never occurred and the finish of the ninth found the home nine still two runs behind.

Appended are the complete scores:

Everett.	a. b. r. h. p. o. a. e.
Hulen, 1 b.	1 1 0 10 1 0
Jacobs, c.	2 1 0 8 1 0
Burns, 2 b.	1 1 2 1 1 1
Heilmuller, c. f.	4 2 3 1 0 1
Mackie, 3 b.	3 0 1 0 0 0
Steele, 1 f.	4 0 0 5 1 0
Erie, s. a.	4 1 2 2 1 0
Altman, r. f.	4 0 0 0 0 0
Carter, p.	4 0 0 1 0 3 0
Totals	36 6 10 27 10 3

Victoria.	a. b. r. h. p. o. a. e.
Dudley, c. f.	3 1 1 3 1 0
Hutchison, 1 b.	4 1 0 2 5 1
McManus, c.	4 0 2 5 1 0
Jana, 3 b.	4 0 0 2 4 0
C. Ford, r. f.	4 0 0 0 0 0
Williams, r. f.	4 0 0 2 0 0
Downing, s. a.	4 1 1 4 3 1
Holmes, p.	3 1 1 0 2 2
Totals	32 4 5 27 14 5

Score by Innings.

Everett	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	6
Victoria	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4

## DEFEATED AT BELLINGHAM.

A special dispatch to the Times from Bellingham, dated to-day, says: Weak hitting was the secret of Victoria's defeat here yesterday afternoon by six to one. The game was not so one-sided as the score might indicate. Victoria played fast ball in the field, but will have to hit more to win games. Five singles were all they could gather, and only two of these did any good. The team lacks ginger and aggressiveness. Howlett pitched a good game but was not so steady as Spevins in pinches. Features of the game were Jana's play at third, E. Ford at second, and Ford for Bellingham Duggan at short and Downie at second. Jana, Ford and Hutchison pulled off a fast double in the seventh.

The game was played on a field muddy from rain and slippery as glass, and that the play was as good as it was to be done to the fact that the boys are pretty good and horses. Only five errors were made on a field on which it appeared difficult to keep their feet.

"Victoria scored in the second. Jana fiew out to Mahon. C. Ford went on balls. Downing advanced him to second with a pretty single to left. He was caught off the bag a moment later, however, on a throw from Mahon. Williams hit safe past third, sending Ford to the third sack. Howlett batted one out to the left which Kennedy failed to scoop out of the mud in time to head off C. Ford, who scored. Dudley ended it, Spevins to James. That was all for Victoria. Downing got to third in the fourth, and McManus in the sixth, but no one got around.

Bellingham didn't score in the third. King and Mahon walked. Duggan advanced them, and King scored on a throw-in after Spencer had down to Dudley. The big thing came off in the sixth. Every man on the local team came to bat, and three scores were run on two hits and an error, a base on balls. Bellingham got two more in the ninth on three hits and an error.

The detailed scores follow:

Bellingham—Runs	0	0	1	0	3	0	6
Victoria—Runs	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Hits	0	2	0	0	3	0	5

Victoria.	a. b. r. h. p. o. a. e.
Hulen, 1 b.	1 1 0 10 1 0
B. Ford, 2 b.	3 0 0 7 3 2
Hutchison, 1 b.	4 0 1 0 0 0
McManus, c.	4 0 1 1 0 1
Jana, 3 b.	4 0 1 0 7 0
C. Ford, r. f.	3 1 0 0 0 0
Downing, s. a.	4 0 1 1 4 0
Williams, 1 f.	4 0 1 0 0 0
Howlett, p.	4 0 0 2 0 2
Totals	34 1 5 14 17 3

Bellingham.	a. b. r. h. p. o. a. e.
Drennen, c. f.	4 1 1 0 0 0
Downie, 2 b.	5 1 0 3 2 0
James, 1 b.	4 0 1 12 2 0
King, r. f.	3 1 0 1 0 0
Kennedy, 1 f.	5 1 1 0 0 0
Mahon, 3 b.	2 0 0 1 3 1
Duggan, s. a.	4 1 2 2 2 0
Spencer, c.	3 1 0 8 0 0
Spevins, p.	4 0 2 0 6 1
Totals	34 6 9 27 15 2

Earned runs, none. Two-base hits, Drennen; Spevins. First on balls, off Spevins, 7; off Howlett, 5. Struck out, by Spevins, 7; by Howlett, 4. Double play, Jana to E. Ford to Hutchison. Sacrifice hits, Downing, Mahon. Stolen base, Drennen. Hit by pitcher, E. Ford. Drennen, passed ball, Spencer. Time of game, 1:30. Umpire, Derrick.

## ST. LOUIS WON.

On Friday evening a match took place between the Independent and St. Louis nine, which resulted in a win for the latter team by a score of 17 to 4. The former players are heavier than the latter. P. McDonald (St. Louis), who went in the box for the last five innings, was certainly off color, allowing everybody to hit him. Sweney, who received his curves, and Kloppeck, on third were about the only ones that played good ball. Brooker, West, Shilton and T.

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O'Rourke played well for the opposing nine.

## NORTH WARD CHAMPIONS.

On Saturday afternoon a junior league match of exceptional importance was played between the Centrals and North Ward teams, resulting in a win for the latter by a score of 17 to 2 runs. This victory practically places the North Ward team in possession of the Colist cup and the championship. They have won three matches and must play only one more to complete the series.

The match was not marked by particularly good play on the part of either team. Owing to the prevailing high wind it was almost impossible for the boys to put up a creditable exhibition. Dakers, who pitched for North Ward, did splendid work, holding the opposing nine down to two hits and the same number of runs. During the first five innings the Centrals could not score. Then Rockford made a hit and Matthews followed with one to centre field. Both scored on Meldram's error. In the meantime the North Ward team piled up their account steadily, augmenting it every inning. Smith, Central's twirler, did not puzzle opponents to any extent. He allowed six hits but gave his opponents most of their runs by allowing out free transportation very generously.

Appended is the score by innings and the summary:

North Ward.	Runs	2	2	1	0	10	4	17
Centrals.	Hits	0	1	1	1	2	1	6

## VANCOUVER LOST.

The Times correspondent at Everett sends the following: Vancouver lost yesterday's game by a score of 7 to 3. Both teams played an erratic game. Everett got one earned run in the first. In the fourth three errors and three hits allowed two Vancouver men to cross the home plate. Everett scored two in the fifth. In the seventh Harmon was wild, allowing three bases and forcing a run in. Then, aided by two errors and a hit, he allowed four more runs. The rest of the game was fast. Belt pitched for Everett. One hit was made off his delivery and six off Harmon.

## LAWN TENNIS.

## INTER-CLUB TOURNEY.

Arrangements are being made for a tournament between the gentlemen members of the Victoria and James Bay clubs. It will take place in the course of a few days on the Belcher street courts and will formally open the season for tennis. Some close and interesting single and double contests are promised. Among those who will participate are: A. T. Goward, J. A. Ribbet and H. Pooley, of the Victoria club, and Messrs. Macrae, Leeming and Schwengers, of the J. B. A. A. Of course there will be several others on both sides. The courts are in splendid shape, playing having been in progress for long enough to make them sufficiently firm to make fast play possible. When the date of the competition is decided upon it will be announced through these columns.

## PLAYING IN SEATTLE.

The game, according to all accounts, is being taken up in Seattle with unusual enthusiasm. In this connection the following from the Post-Intelligencer will be of interest to local devotees:

"As the time draws near for the first of the tournaments of the Seattle Tennis Club, the players are taking a new interest in their method of play and are striving to perfect their weak points in anticipation of coming match contests. The tournament committee will meet next week to decide the exact date of the club tournament, which will in all probability be held the second week in July.

"Many of the younger players of the club are East and will reach this city until the early part of July.

"The past week has witnessed the reappearance on the courts of many of the old timers, who have not had a racket in their hands for the past five years. Among these are Charles H. Rollins, one of those who was counted upon in the tight pinches in the old days. He was back in tennis togs on Tuesday and acquitted himself right royally, although, as he expressed it: 'My eye is sadly out of whack.'

"E. A. Strout, the brick man, is another of the old regime who is on hand with his trusty 'bat.' In his goes with La Forge he showed remarkably good form. He is one of the strong entries in the team contest for the 'Duffies' cup. O. H. P. La Forge is a regular attendant at the courts, his favorite opponent being Dr. George Hays. Henry Carstensen, one of the finest tennis sports of this city, was back again in the harness last week, and was skillfully drumming the ball over in a nice, clean, effective way.

"Fane Sevell is one of the most enthusiastic of the 1905 players, and is out on the courts every bright afternoon.

"Mr. Rollins, who has ranked in the classic circle of the club for the past six years, is once more in trim for the championship. Miss Hedley is missed this year from the courts. Her low, sweeping stroke was very effective, and won her the championship two years ago. Miss Fiskin, who is playing in excellent single form this season, is even a better double player."

## LACROSSE.

## PRACTICE MATCH.

The senior team is requested to be at practice every night this week, as to be in the best possible shape to meet Vancouver next Saturday. On Wednesday evening a practice match will be played between the intermediates and seniors.

Appended are the respective teams:

Seniors—S. Lorimer, W. Lorimer, W. Hatcher, C. Taylor, Capt. McConnell, Alex. Stevens, Bert Hendon, Sargison, Munro, Pete Morris, West and Cullen.

Intermediates—Terriant, Clegg, Richardson, Mason, Temple, Legg, Sweeney, Gawley, Mathews, McLaughlin, Stewart and Roekamp.

In their next league match the team will miss the services of Tom Crocker, who has proved himself a valuable defence player.

## GOLF.

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noon. Miss V. Pooley is playing Mrs. Lang-  
ley and C. J. Prior is trying conclusions  
with H. Combe. The matches started at 3  
o'clock.

## TO PLAY AT PORTLAND.

"Members of the Seattle Golf Club are  
making preparations for their visit to Port-  
land during the latter part of this month,  
when they will contest for entrance in the  
Pacific Coast championship," says the Sea-  
tle Post-Intelligencer. "This tourney will  
be the first time that golfers of the North  
west have had an opportunity to compete in  
championship contests. These Coast com-  
petitions have been held in California since  
the inception of the game on the Pacific  
slope, and the distance and the time allow-  
ance have acted as preventatives to the  
players of the Northwest."

## CRICKET.

## VICTORIA BEAT SOLIDERS.

The "A" team of the Victoria Cricket  
Club defeated the eleven from the Solids Co.  
R. G. A. at the hospital grounds on Sat-  
urday, by twenty-nine runs. The score was  
as follows:

Victoria "A" Team.	Runs	15	13	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
A. Coles, b. Biddle	15														
E. J. Howe, b. Scudde	13														
P. Richardson, run out	11														
H. J. Parker, run out	10														
F. W. Ashby, b. Scudde	9														
L. B. Trimen (capt.), b. O'Hara	8														
L. W. Convey, c. Blackburn, b. Dore	7														
W. Grigson, b. O'Hara	6														
H. A. Taylor, b. O'Hara	5														
A. P. Kiron, not out	4														
K. M. Raymer, c. and b. O'Hara	3														
Extras	8														
Total	109														

## GAME STOPPED BY RAIN.

The rain stopped the game on Saturday  
afternoon at Work Point between the Vic-  
toria Cricket Club and Garrison teams. Vic-  
toria ran up a score of 101 for four wickets  
when the match was called off.

On Saturday next the Victoria team will  
play their first all-day match of the season  
with the Seattle eleven.

## UNFAVORABLE CONDITIONS.

A number of members of the 5th Regi-  
ment attended the shoot held at Clover  
Point range on Saturday afternoon, in  
spite of the inclement weather. Owing to  
the mist, which hung over the targets, the  
scores were not large.

## CHESS.

## CLUB MEETING.

Members of the Victoria Chess Club held  
a meeting on Saturday evening for the pur-  
pose of discussing the advisability of ar-  
ranging a return tournament with Vanco-  
ver by telegraph. It was agreed that the  
Terminal Club should have the privilege  
of selecting a date for the next tour-  
ney, that a time limit should be agreed up-  
on, a maximum being set for each move. A  
suggestion from the Vancouver club to the  
effect that the respective associations should  
be represented by the same players was con-  
sidered on the last occasion was consid-  
ered. It, however, did not meet with unani-  
mous approval and was left in abeyance.  
After other matters of interest had been  
considered the meeting adjourned.

## ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RY.

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Northbound.	Southbound.	Northbound.	Leave.	and Wed.	Arrive.
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Shawnigan Lake	8.00	12.00	Shawnigan Lake	5.17	8.40
Duncan	10.20	10.40	Duncan	5.55	9.00
Ladysmith	11.00	10.02	Ladysmith	6.45	9.10
Nanaimo	11.57	9.10	Nanaimo	7.22	9.40
Ar. Wellington	12.40	8.20	Ar. Wellington	7.52	9.40
Ar. Wellington	12.53	8.00			

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VICTORIA TO DUNCANS AND RETURN, \$1.00; Children, 50c.

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ing not later than Monday.

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## PROVINCIAL NEWS.

## NELSON.

Early Saturday morning fire destroyed the boarding and store house on Morning mountain, just west of this city, of the Athabasca-Venus mines, leased to the Jumbo Mining Co., and occupied by a crew of thirty men. The building loss is \$12,500, not insured locally, and the contents less about \$700, with equal insurance. The fire was caused by a coke range.

## KAMLOOPE.

At the council meeting Thursday night a letter was read from Charles Brown, whose proposition to establish a foundry here if the city would donate a site and give exemption from taxation for a term of years has been before the council for several weeks, withdrawing his offer and stating he was making other arrangements. The clerk was instructed to make suitable acknowledgment of Mr. Brown's letter.

## PHOENIX.

Ald. Jas. Marshall, who has been a councillor ever since the city was incorporated in the fall of 1900, has just returned from a trip to the home of his childhood in Scotland, and has already taken active steps for the building of a new and larger hotel on the site of the Brooklyn hotel, which was burned to the ground on February 14th last. Mr. Marshall has purchased two lots adjoining the old hotel, and with G. W. Rumbarger will at once erect a hotel to cost when completed about \$250,000. The new Brooklyn hotel will contain about 40 rooms. The new Brooklyn hotel is expected to be completed by the first of August, and Mr. Marshall will conduct the house himself.

## GREENWOOD.

A sad drowning accident happened here Tuesday afternoon, whereby Ida Sophia Hanson, aged six years, lost her life. The deceased and a younger brother were playing along the banks of Boundary creek, when the child must have fallen in, as the boy came home to his mother with the news that his sister had fallen into the creek. The body was recovered near the C. P. R. depot much bruised.

The month of May has been one of great activity in mining in and about Greenwood. Starting at the north end of the city the strike has been made in the Alphabetical group, which claims are being extensively prospected by an American syndicate, which has bonded them. To the south and west is the Gold Bug, the crosscut tunnel on which is now in over 200 feet, the ledge is expected at 300 feet. To the east are the Elkhorn and the Providence. The outlook for the latter has been much public, the former is for the time being closed down, pending a deal in either the property or a large block of the stock. The Elkhorn is a good mine, and when work is resumed will become a regular shipper. Continuing along the hill towards the town, the next claim is the Fremont, on which a crosscut tunnel is being driven in order to strike the ore body. The work is progressing very favorably and the tunnel is in nearly 100 feet. On the Strathmore, the next property, another crosscut tunnel is in over 225 feet with a prospect of striking the ledge any day. On the Twin another ledge has been struck within the past few days, in addition to the one already reported. On the Prince Henry, which is being worked by a large syndicate, a 100-foot shaft is being sunk, on which good progress is being maintained. The prospects for this property are fine, but no definite statement can be made until work now in progress is completed. A splendid vein, though narrow, was struck at a depth of 15 feet. The continuation with satisfactory results on the Barbara and Helen, two properties further south on the same side of the valley, both operated by Chicago capital. A fine strike of two feet of galena has just been made on the Barbara, running 110. On the Gold Finch the strikes in the two tunnels have been fully reported. The E. P. U. is being steadily developed and has shipped regularly. The E. P. U. is being put into splendid shape, and gives great promise to the owners. It is reported on the most reliable information that Col. Dickson and Wm. Bailey and associates, owners of the Preston, have purchased the control of the Crescent. The Crescent is undoubtedly a very fine property, containing some splendid leads, very rich in silver. The adjoining claim, the Don Pedro, has been worked during the month, the shaft was unwatered and development commenced. On the Preston, nine men are at work. On the Silver Cloud the work is steadily going on with every prospect of success. On the Maria, the Phoenix syndicate is actively at work developing, also on the Tip Top. On both of these there is every evidence of the Bay vein. The Skylark is too well known to need much comment here. The mine is one of the wonders of the camp and shows that even after being condemned wholesale it does not follow that a mining property is worthless.

## VANCOUVER.

A compromise was arrived at Saturday between the striking sheet-metal workers and their employers, by which the latter agreed to an increase in the men's wages from \$3 to \$3.25 a day, and they will return to work. The Union had asked for an increase to \$3.00 per day, and the employers at first offered \$3.20, but the union men pointed out that this was the only city on the coast where sheet-metal workers were paid less than carpenters. The employers then agreed to a \$3.25 rate, which was accepted. The strike has lasted since Thursday and affected about 25 men.

A boy named Leo Blakely, who, with another boy, escaped from the reformatory about three days ago, was discovered Saturday morning to be hiding at a house in Fairview. He had asked a lady there to take him in, and she had listened to his story and done so. When the superintendent went to the house to find him, the boy was not in sight, but a search in the bush near by discovered him about 50 feet up in a tree. He was promptly persuaded that it would be to his interest to descend from his lofty perch, and was taken back to the reformatory. The other boy was captured on the day of his escape.

Three out of the four money by laws voted on Saturday were carried by small

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Third.—The great volume of unsolicited and grateful testimonials on file at the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., many of which are from time to time published by permission, give absolute evidence of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Mrs. Pinkham's advice.

Fourth.—Every ailing woman in Canada is asked to accept the following invitation. It is free, will bring you health and may save your life.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women.—Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. From symptoms given, your trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised. Out of the vast volume of experience in treating female ills Mrs. Pinkham probably has the very knowledge that will help your case. Surely, any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.

majorities. The total vote polled was the lowest on record, the unfavorable weather contributing to this, in addition to the general lack of interest," says the News-Advertiser. "The result occasionally came as a surprise, as it was thought on the street Saturday that the only by-law which would carry would be that to provide money for the resurfacing of the streets paved with bituminous rock. While the English Bay Improvement By-Law was the only one not carried, there is still about it, the whole of the work is practically done. All that remains is the apportioning of the cost of the lower tier of bath houses, the cost of which would be about \$1,200. Since the money cannot be borrowed, the appropriation to cover the cost will be voted from the general revenue. The by-laws for the extension and improvement of the jail and fire protection of the city, carried by 44 majority. Second, to raise \$10,000 for the improvement of English Bay; lost by 80. Fourth, to raise \$350,000 for the extension and improvement of streets; carried by 75 majority."

Frederic Hoffmeister, who was to have arrived in Vancouver last week to assume on June 6th the office of electrical superintendent of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, is not expected to reach the city much before the end of the month. News has been received that just as he was about to leave for the coast, Mrs. Hoffmeister fell seriously ill. The journey was postponed, and subsequently Mrs. Hoffmeister became so ill that her life was despaired of. She is not by any means out of danger yet.

## ROSSLAND.

In the rear of the Le Roi superintendent's office, a tunnel which is being driven diagonally across toward the War Eagle ground, a find of high grade ore has been made. It now completely fills the face of the tunnel. It is thought by those who have seen it to be a new ledge. The management of No. 2 regard the find as important, although it has not been developed enough to determine its size or importance. The connection on the 600-foot level of the Centre Star has been made between the Centre Star and War Eagle, thus giving better ventilation, and it will otherwise be advantageous in the operations of the mine. The crosscut connecting the two mines runs for a distance of 1,000 feet between the two main shafts. Six hundred feet of it was recently finished. It was while making this connection that nine-foot shoot of high grade ore was encountered in the Centre Star. This shoot, now that the connection has been made, will be developed.

Following are the shipments for the week ending Saturday night: Le Roi, 575 tons; Centre Star, 1,800 tons; War Eagle, 1,550 tons; Le Roi No. 2, 200 tons; Le Roi No. 2 (milled), 430 tons; Jumbo, 300 tons; Spitzee, 600 tons; total for the year, 146,500 tons.

## NEW AMBASSADOR.

J. D. Cassius Will Represent Mexico at Washington.

Mexico City, June 3.—President Diaz yesterday appointed Joaquín D. Cassius to be ambassador of Mexico to the United States to succeed the late Manuel Amos. The new minister is an eminent jurist, literateur and economist. He was secretary-general of the Pan-American conference which met in this city in 1901. His contribution to the currency question have been an important factor in shaping the government's policy in regard to the monetary system of reform and the adoption of the gold standard. Mr. Cassius will not take up his new duties before August.

## THE BOUNDARY MINES.

Week's Shipments Amount to 17,145 Tons—Smelters Have Treated 405,039 Tons This Year.

Phoenix, June 3.—Over 400,000 tons of ore have been treated by Boundary smelters this year.

Following are the shipments from the Boundary mines for this week: Granby Mines to Granby smelter, 13,495 tons; Mother Lode to B. C. Copper smelter, 3,392 tons; Mountain Rose to B. C. Copper smelter, 60 tons; Emma to Nelson smelter, 99 tons; Oro Doreo to Granby smelter, 33 tons; Last Chance to B. C. Copper and Trail smelters, 60 tons; total for week, 17,145 tons; total for year to date, 385,340 tons.

This week the Boundary smelters treated as follows: Granby smelter, 15,750 tons; B. C. Copper smelter, 4,220 tons; total treatment for the week, 17,970 tons; total treatment for the year to date, 405,039 tons.

## COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

New York, June 3.—Liberal extracts are published to-day of the report made to the Equitable Life Assurance Society directors by the Frick investigating committee. The report consists of thirty-eight printed pages.

Its principal points follow closely the outline forecasted several days ago and in closing the committee declared:

"Excessive salaries, excessive commissions, excessive expenses, superfluous offices should not be tolerated. Investments should be carefully made and all the usual formal precautions employed to insure the location of the moral responsibility of the officers who are charged with the duty of making them. The committee having pursued its investigation of the extending management of the society sufficiently far to convince it that the personnel of the management should be radically changed, and the methods of conducting the business of the society brought back to sound legal and ethical lines, begs to be relieved from further delays."

## KING OF SPAIN.

Paris, June 3.—The spectacular features of King Alfonso's visit to Paris closed to-day with the review at Vincennes in beautiful weather, and in the presence of throngs of women dressed in bright summer costumes, which lent brilliancy to the martial scene. To-night there was a reception at the Spanish embassy, after which King Alfonso attended the theatre. To-morrow he will attend the races at Auteuil, after which the foreign minister and M. Loubet will leave Paris at midnight Sunday for Cherbourg, where the combined squadrons of Great Britain, France and Spain, have assembled.

## ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.

Daniel Mills, Who Came Here in 1850, Dead in Vancouver.

Daniel Mills, a pioneer of 1850, passed away at Vancouver on Saturday. Although for the past 15 years Mr. Mills has resided in the Terminal City, he will be remembered by Victoria pioneers as the man who erected the first stone bank building here. Of his demise the News-Advertiser says:

"The death of Daniel Mills at St. Paul's hospital, Saturday, marked the passing of another of the fast disappearing pioneers of the Pacific Coast. Mr. Mills came to Victoria in 1850, and erected the first stone bank building in the city, and also assisted in building the Race Rock lighthouse. He afterwards spent 13 years mining with various fortune in Cariboo. He returned from Cariboo to New Westminster where he was for a number of years associated with Dr. Chisholm in the brewery, salm and cannery and real estate businesses. Mr. Mills was a native of Antigonish County, Nova Scotia, and came to California by the Panama route in the fifties. He spent some time mining in California, before the Cariboo rush drew him northwards.

"For the past 15 years the deceased had lived in Vancouver, and enjoyed the esteem of a large circle of acquaintances in this city. At the time of his death he had reached the ripe age of 76 years. He was unmarried, but has quite a number of relatives in the city, no less than six of his nephews residing here."

## HOTEL ST. FRANCIS.

Yesterday the Hotel St. Francis presented a gay scene, many non-residents having filled the beautifully furnished lounge and parlor of an excellent tea daintily served at separate tables. The opportunity to non-residents to entertain their best friends at afternoon tea at an establishment so thoroughly equipped with the necessary appointments will be not be opened on the 5th inst., as anticipated, but probably the 15th instable will be opened. Tables have already been reserved for the green room and the red room. These two rooms are connected by elaborate folding doors, and when thrown open will present a brilliant spectacle in a noble apartment. An orchestra of five performers has been engaged to provide the music during dinner. The decorating has been entrusted to able hands, and will be a triumph of the decorator's skill. Electric lighting will be favorably with the most elaborate and the general furnishing, leaving nothing to be desired.

## Canada for Canadians

We have the grandest country in the world and a great future awaits us if we only prove loyal and patriotic. Years ago thousands of our young men left the country for U. S., and to-day they are rushing back as the sweep of prosperity rolls over the country. Canadians should learn to appreciate home production. Poor, hungry Canadian, remedy, and the whole world cannot produce a better article for tired, swollen, sweaty, tender feet. Send stamp for particulars of our \$100.00 in prizes.

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It is not generally known that the Islands of the Gulf of Georgia have been proclaimed to be even more beautiful than the Thousand Islands of the St. Lawrence. To take the morning train out of Victoria, connecting with the Ironquits at Sidney for the Islands, returning the same day, is a most delightful outing.

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Victoria, B. C., May 18th, 1906.

NOTICE.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Belmont & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the north by the south boundary of Comes District, on the east by the Strait of Georgia, on the north by the 50th parallel and on the west by the boundary of the B. & N. Railway Land Grant.

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Dated this 1st day of June, 1906.

J. J. FITZGERALD.

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Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at their next sitting, for a transfer of the license held by me to sell by retail wines and liquors upon the premises known as the Oriental Hotel, situate at the corner of Yates street and Oriental alley, in the City of Victoria, to Robert Courtney Cawell and Frank Seddon Evans, of this city.

Dated this 25th day of May, 1906.

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CHANCERY CHAMBERS

A few offices are still open for selection in the new block on Bastion Square. Fire-proof vaults, electric light and hot water. Apply on the premises (or Box 1023 to Messrs. Gore & McGeorge.

NOTICE.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, 31st May, 1906, from any person who may desire to obtain a lease, under the provisions of section 42 of the Land Act, of a certain portion of cutting timber therefrom, for the purpose of cutting timber therefrom, a limit of land situated on Vancouver Island, known as Lots 280, 281, 282, Clayquot District, containing in the aggregate 1,000 acres.

The competitor offering the highest cash bonus will be entitled to a lease of the land for a term of twenty-one years.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque, made payable to the undersigned, to cover the amount of the first year's rental (\$227.25), and the amount of bonus tendered, and also a certified cheque for \$1,100.40, being the cost of grubbing and surveying the limits. The cheques will be at once returned to unsuccessful competitors.

W. S. GORE, Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 4th May, 1906.

Tenders for Government of British Columbia 3 1/2 Per Cent. Debentures.

Tenders will be received up to the 14th of June, 1906, for the purchase of \$250,000 Government of British Columbia 3 1/2 Per Cent. Debentures, in denominations of \$1,000, issued under the authority of the "Dyking Assessment Adjustment Act, 1905," bearing interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, at the Government Treasury, on the 1st of January, and the 1st of July, in each year; the principal redeemable in 32 years from the 1st of July, 1938.

Tenders to state the price net, the amount to be deposited at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Victoria, on the 30th of June, 1906.

Tenders to be addressed to the Honorable the Minister of Finance, Victoria. Right of acceptance of any tender reserved.

May 6th, 1906.

NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, having determined that it is desirable to construct and lay permanent sidewalks of concrete on the following streets, to-wit: Government street, east side, from Fisgard street to Hillside avenue, and on the west side from Herald street to Pembroke street, and from Orchard street to Gorge road, (3) Douglas street, north side, from Douglas street to Douglas street, and that the whole of said works should be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law," and the City Engineer and City Assessor, having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of the said By-Law, upon the said works of local improvement, giving statement showing the amount chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property benefited thereby, and their reports having been adopted by the Council on the 22nd day of May instant.

Notice is hereby given that the reports in question are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., May 23rd, 1906.

REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1886, CHAPTER 92.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO THE ABOVE STATUTE OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF WHARF IN THE HARBOR OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, hereby gives notice, pursuant to the requirements of Section 5 of the above Statute, that they have this day applied by petition to the Governor in Council for approval of the site, and of the plan of the wharf proposed to be constructed on and over the foreshore at the Northern termination of Oswego street, in the City of Victoria, according to the Official Map of the said City of Victoria. A plan and description of the proposed site and of the wharf to be constructed have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, B. C., this 17th day of May, 1906, and a duplicate thereof has been deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C., this 17th day of May, 1906.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Clerk of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

Grants of land, made to Volunteers, their heirs or assigns, under authority of their acts, are subject to the condition that such grants shall have been selected by the grantee on or before the first day of July, 1905. Notice is, therefore, hereby given that applications for such lands must be filed at a Government Office on that date.

R. F. GREEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 26th May, 1906.

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